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Untimely Letter

PRESIDENT Eisenhower is entitled to resent the timing of Marshal Bulganin's letter proposing an agreement with the United States for the banning of H-bomb tests, and also to feel affronted by the manner in which the Soviet Premier made public the document before Mr. Eisenhower had personally received it. The sharp tone of the President's reply was wholly justified.

Strangely enough, Marshal Bulganin appeared to be fully aware that in addressing Mr. Eisenhower on the subject at this time, he was committing a grave breach of etiquette. His intrusion into what is at the moment an internal political issue was, therefore, quite deliberate, and unpardonable.

The wisdom or otherwise of Mr. Adlai Stevenson in introducing the subject of H-bomb tests into the presidential election campaign can be decided by the American electorate. They certainly require no guidance or influence from quarters such as Moscow. Marshal Bulganin's gesture made at this time was in decidedly poor taste.

POSSIBLY, after the American elections are over, the American public will display interest in the proposition of an international agreement on the banning of H-bomb tests, irrespective of who is occupying the presidential chair. But so far as the forthcoming election is concerned, it is doubtful whether the voters will regard the subject as a vitally important factor in deciding whether to re-elect Mr. Eisenhower or return Mr. Stevenson to the White House.

President Eisenhower can hardly be blamed for dismissing the Bulganin proposal in its present form as being inadequate. The Soviet leaders have consistently refused to consider any of his suggestions for the control and eventual abolition of atomic and hydrogen bombs, and this has given him grounds for entertaining doubts concerning Russia's good faith on the subject.

Apparently it is Mr. Stevenson's belief that this good faith should be tested, and it is of some significance that a number of American scientists agree with him. Nevertheless, the banning of H-bomb tests can have but a limited effect, and unless it is implemented by proposals such as those already put forward by President Eisenhower, will do little to remove the existing threat to world peace.

Free Trade Area

IT is a matter of some importance that both the Labour and Conservative parties have endorsed, in principle, Mr. Macmillan's tentative proposals for Britain's participation in a West European free trade union.

The fundamental objective of the plan—to eliminate trade barriers in West Europe—is commendable enough, but what has to be thought out is its effect on the Commonwealth as a whole.

This applies particularly to those areas within the Commonwealth who today are developing manufacturing industries and whose products enjoy the advantages of imperial preference. Hongkong is among them.

How long the manufacturing members of the Commonwealth could sustain their industries in the face of Continental competition, once the tariff barriers were lowered in Britain, is a matter for conjecture. But it would become a real problem, and it is one which those who are now engaged in the task of working out the free trade area plan, need to give full consideration.

Now Budapest Radio Gives Moscow A Storm Warning Signal 'IRON CURTAIN ITCH' SPREADS

Hungary Bid To Follow Poland Upheaval

STUDENT RALLIES CALL FOR RETURN OF NAGY

Vienna, Oct. 22.

The state-controlled Hungarian radio today broadcast a student demand for reappointment of rehabilitated Imre Nagy as Premier and Iron Curtain experts immediately predicted a Polish-type Government upheaval in Hungary this week.

Budapest Radio said a speaker at one of several meetings attended by thousands of students received a "stormy ovation" when he said "Poland has set an example which our country should follow."

The radio said the students agreed to end a 22-point resolution to the Hungarian Government and the Workers' (Communist) Party.

The meeting came a few hours after Szabod Nagy, the Hungarian Party newspaper, had stated that Hungary must map her own road to Socialism.

Szabod Nagy, as quoted by the official Hungarian news agency said: "The Soviet, Polish, Yugoslav or Chinese roads to Socialism do not solve us from mapping out a Hungarian road."

Towns Renamed

"To make Lenin's ideas triumph in Hungary means to proceed every party and government decision by a minute analysis of Hungarian conditions."

"Hungary recently turned its back officially on the Stalinist camp, rehabilitating living and dead victims of the Stalinist regime and forced the resignation of the Moscow-dominated Hungarian Communist Party chief, Matyas Rakosi, who has fled the country."

Throughout Hungary today towns, factories and buildings named after Stalin and Rakosi are being renamed.

On tonight's student meeting, Budapest Radio said the first part of the resolution dealt with their political and economic demands.

Purge Demanded

These included demands that those forces holding back the new developments and maintaining the errors of Stalinism should be quickly removed and a rapid progress made in democratisation and the change of leadership. Those responsible for the errors of the past should be punished.

The broadcast said students demanded that Hungary assert "an independent Hungarian international and foreign policy to represent the true interests of the nation."

Other demands raised by students included "a complete change in the leadership of the country and full explanation why all the mistakes were made in the past and who was responsible for them."

The students demanded that the recently rehabilitated Nagy, depicted as a traitor and ousted from the Communist Party just last year because of "anti-Marxist leanings and right-wing deviationism," be reinstated as head of the Government and be made Hungarian Communist Party Chief.

'What's Happened?'

"A full report of the country's economic situation must be delivered by the Government including all detail of what has happened to Hungary's uranium resources," the students demanded according to Budapest radio.

(According to information available in Vienna, the Hungarian uranium mines are operated under Russian control and their production is being shipped to the Soviet Union.)

The students said they were "in favour of the Hungarian-Russian friendship which, however, must be based on equality," the broadcast said.

Budapest Radio added weight to the significance of the students' demands by saying that "the spirit one can feel reaching through the lecture halls of the universities can only be compared with that which swept the nation during the revolutionary fight of 1918 when Hungary revolted against the rule of the Hapsburg empire."

Austria crushed that revolt with Russian troops.

Iron Curtain experts here predicted changes would come late this week when Communist Party boss Erno Gero and the Hungarian Premier, Andrus Hegedus, return from talks with Yugoslav President Tito.

There has been no announcement when the Hungarian Communist delegation would return from Belgrade where it is believed to be discussing "independence" communism with Tito. It is thought, however, that they would return in time for a Communist Central Committee meeting before Parliament meets next Monday.

If they return later this week, it will be to what may be the climax of the student-led revolt of intellectuals against blind adherence to Kremlin policy.

Both the newly created "Fourth Parliament"—announced by student groups dissatisfied with the present Government—and journalists meet in Budapest on Saturday.

Their demands were expected to be a much amplified version of those made today.

Secret Ballots

In two rallies today, Hungarian students demanded cancellation of their membership with the Communist Youth Organisation and the foundation of a new independent students' organization.

TITO ENDS TALKS WITH HUNGARY

Belgrade, Oct. 22.

The Hungarian and Yugoslav Communist parties tonight formally re-established their cooperation which was severed after the Cominform dispute in 1948.

A delegation of the Hungarian Party under its first secretary Mr. Erno Gero, tonight had their final talks with Yugoslav Party leaders at the conclusion of President Tito's hurried lodge at Belje on the Danube.

A communique was signed after the talks but its text has not yet been published.

RUMANIA NEXT

The Hungarian delegation was leaving tonight by special train for Budapest.

Meanwhile a top-level Rumanian delegation today opened talks here with Yugoslav leaders, during which President Tito will continue his drive to convert foreign Communist parties to his brand of communism.—Reuter.

Students also demanded self-government of the country's universities, permission for students to travel abroad, secret and democratic election of university officials and a cut of compulsory Marxist-Leninist ideological lessons.

Shortly after, 3,000 students of the Czech University called their membership with the Communist Youth Organisation. Minister of Education Albert Kony abolished compulsory Russian language lessons.

The meeting of students of the Technological University had agreed to cancel their membership with the Communist Youth, Budapest Radio said.

The Hungarian Communist Youth Organisation "Diz" under heavy pressure from students demanding "more liberty," announced that the first "Youth Parliament" session had been scheduled for October 27.

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Check-up For Ike

Washington, Oct. 22. President Eisenhower will enter Walter Reed Hospital for a pre-election "head to toe" medical check-up, the White House announced today.

The Presidential press secretary Mr. James M. Hagerty said the examination would fulfill the President's promise to undergo a complete physical test before the Nov. 6 voting.

He said a full report on the results will be made public as soon as possible.—United Press.

Missionary Killed

Algiers, Oct. 22. Swiss-born Roman Catholic missionary, Father Hubert Bruchez, of the Order of the White Brothers of Algiers, was found stoned to death today on the road from Pont-Gueydon to Azazga in Kabylia.

The missionary was returning to his mission headquarters at Azazga from Pont-Gueydon after a Sunday service when he was attacked.—France-Press.

Riders Caught

Tel-Aviv, Oct. 22. A spokesman said today that a band of Arab marauders under Egyptian leadership had been liquidated by Israeli police in the hills north of Nazareth.

Two Arabs were captured and a number of accomplices in Israel detained, he said.—Reuter.

Trains Collide

London, Oct. 22. Two electric suburban passenger trains collided tonight near London Bridge station—one of London's main rail terminals—and first report said there were five casualties.

Calls were sent out for more ambulances.

A British Railways spokesman said: "It is not a serious accident."—Reuter.

'Typhoon Will Pass 140 Miles Away'

Typhoon Joan is expected to pass nearest the Colony this evening when it will be 140 miles to the south-west. It is continuing on its present course.

This was stated this morning by the Director of the Royal Observatory, Dr. I. E. M. Walter.

Winds are expected to gradually veer and become strong from the east and later south-east.

The No. 3 local storm signal was hoisted at 11.15 this morning. Average winds of 21 to 23 knots are expected.

Royal Observatory Prediction

At 9 a.m. today Typhoon Joan was centred about 110 miles south of Hong Kong.

A France-Press report from Manila said Typhoon Joan left the Philippines, west last night, leaving in its wake one dead and five missing.

TITO, GOMULKA...NAGY?



IMRE NAGY

AND THE NEWS FROM WARSAW SOVIET CRUISERS SEEN OFF POLAND

Warsaw, Oct. 22.

Three cruisers of the Soviet Baltic Fleet steamed into Polish waters today less than 12 hours after the pro-Soviet Defence Minister, Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky, had been dropped from the new Polish Politbureau.

The appearance of the cruisers between the key Polish seaports of Gdynia and Danzig spread alarm among coastal residents.

Almost simultaneously, General Franciszek Andrzejewski, the Russian Army officer who commands the Polish Army's Warsaw military district, vanished from his post.

FOR TALKS?

Official sources said he had hurried to Russia during the night, possibly for consultations.

But this news brought no slowdown in Tloist Wladyslaw Gomulka's swift clean-up of the Warsaw regime. The Polish Army and Navy said they were behind him.

The United Peasants Party, one of the Communist allies, removed its president, Wladyslaw Kowalski, tonight and put a Gomulka supporter, Stefan Ignar, in his place.

Zeslaw Wycech, once a supporter of the former pro-Western premier, Stanislaw Mikolajczyk became vice-president. Mikolajczyk headed the wartime London government-in-exile and fled after the Communist takeover here.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

Poznan today was full of unconfirmed rumours about troop movements.

Some reports said there had been a heavy flow of Soviet army vehicles from the direction of the East German frontier towards Warsaw on Saturday.

A Reuter correspondent who drove about 100 miles from the

French Capture Algerian Rebel Chiefs In Plane

Algiers, Oct. 22.

An aircraft carrying five Algerian insurgent leaders was intercepted today over the Mediterranean and the five men were brought to Algiers.

The five men included Ben Bella and Mohammed Khider, regarded as top men behind the Algerian insurrection, who had been asked to draw the attention of the American and British Governments to the situation created by the arrest of Algerian rebel leaders.—France-Press.

French sources said they were under arrest in Algiers.

The aircraft in which they were travelling left Rabat today for Tunis, where the Sultan of Morocco also flew to begin discussions with Tunisian leaders.

INVITED TO LAND

First information about interception of the aircraft said the pilot had been "invited" to land at Algiers and had complied.

Almond Ben Bella and Mohammed Khider came within a hair's breadth of falling into French hands this morning when they accidentally boarded an airliner bound for Oran, Algeria, at Rabat airport.

They were waiting at Rabat airport with their four bodyguards for the special plane to carry them to Tunis, when a Moroccan official, anxious to shield them from the view of pressmen, escorted them to a waiting airliner, which he believed was reserved for members of the Sultan of Morocco's official party.

A horde on the plane realised they should not be aboard and without adding their names asked them to get off—just before the French pilot taxied on to the runway.

The "invitation" to land was given by the French Air Force, French sources said, but under what conditions was not known immediately.

Earlier reports from Rabat had said the plane carrying the insurgent leaders would probably make a detour to avoid passing over Algerian territory.

Reuter.

TUNISIAN REACTION

Tunis, Oct. 22. Tunisian Premier Habib Bourguiba last night summoned the French Ambassador and told him that the arrest of Algerian rebel leaders might bring the whole of North Africa into a test of strength with France. It was announced by the Information Ministry.

It was also announced the Tunisian Government had decided to recall its Ambassador from Paris.

The Tunisian Ambassadors in Washington and London had been asked to draw the attention of the American and British Governments to the situation created by the arrest of Algerian rebel leaders.—France-Press.

MP's PLEA TO EOKA LEADER

Nicosia, Oct. 22.

Mr. Francis Noel-Baker, British Member of Parliament, disclosed today he had asked Greek-Cypriot terrorist chief George Grivas to observe a truce despite the Cyprus problem.

Mr. Noel-Baker, in a letter to Colonel Grivas, Chief of the EOKA terrorist organisation, said the present time was as appropriate as any to attempt to save human lives by means of "a bold and realistic gesture."

The letter, which was read to correspondents by Mr. Noel-Baker here today, asked Grivas to observe a truce despite the "tragic failure" of a truce attempt last August.

He told Grivas, "It appeared to many people that you were misled and out-manoeuvred in mid-August."

Mr. Noel-Baker, in his letter, said that Grivas was "one of the very few people in a position to take an initiative and make a positive contribution toward an honourable and peaceful settlement."—France-Press.

Suez Prospects

London, Oct. 22.

Prospects of an immediate three-power conference on Suez faded today in the absence so far of new Egyptian proposals for a solution of the conflict.

A Foreign Office spokesman said today it had not yet received any proposals from Egypt.—Reuter.

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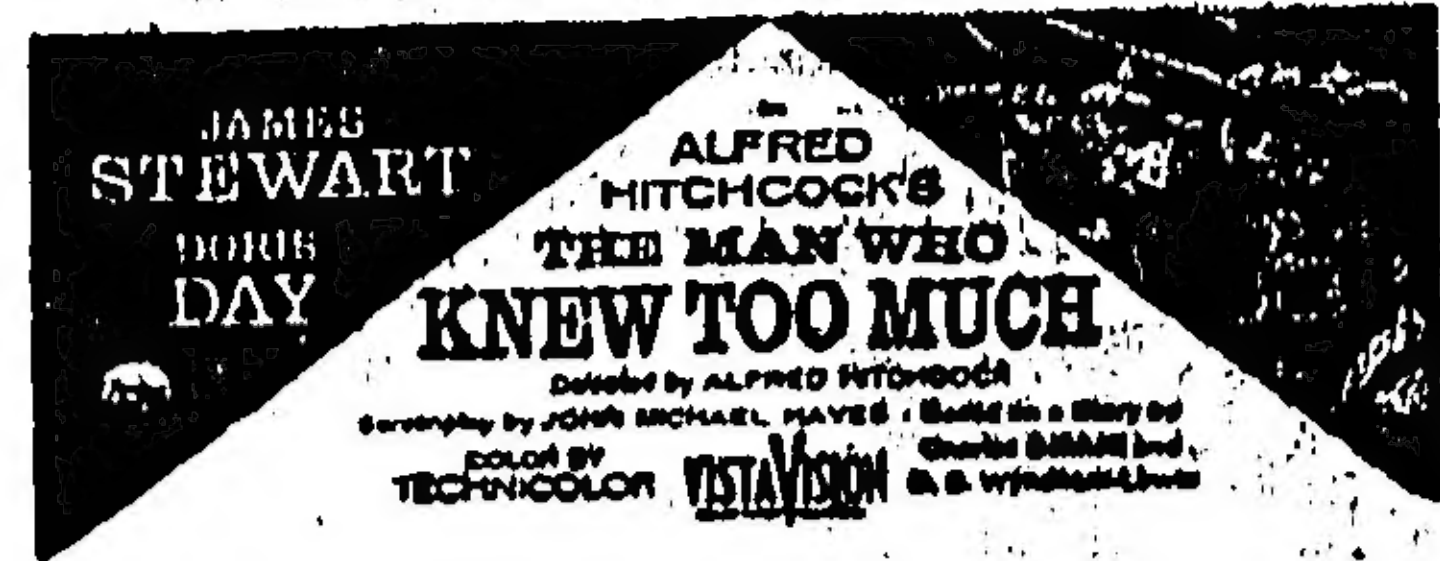


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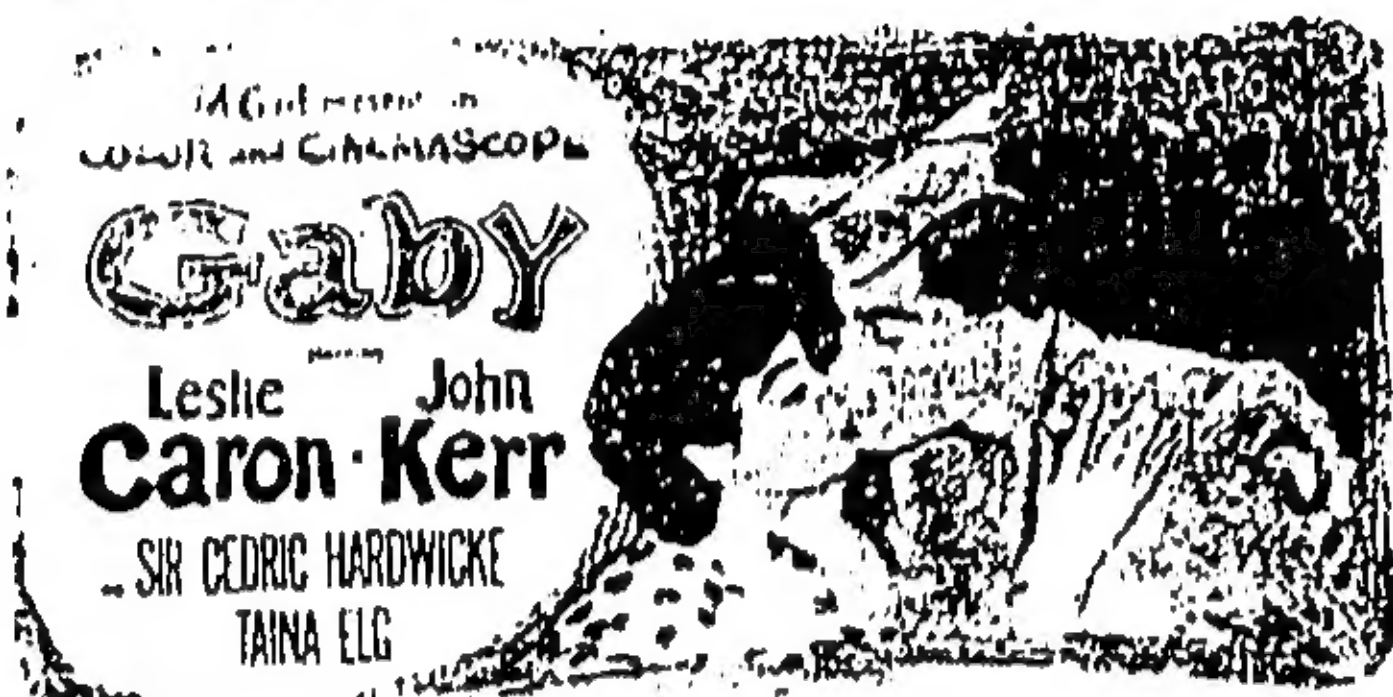


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ATTLEES OFF TO INDIA



Earl and Countess Attlee shown at London Airport before they left for a month's holiday in India and Pakistan. — Central Press Photo.

DRAMATIC SWITCH IN POZNAN TRIAL

Judgment Postponed

Poznan, Oct. 22.

Judgment on eight Polish youths accused of rioting in Poznan on June 28 was unexpectedly postponed for at least a fortnight today so that the court could hear more witnesses.

Three of the accused were released from custody at the request of defence lawyers pending the court's next sitting, fixed for November 6.

Jan Kaulous known as "Eddie Polo" and "the Italian Bandit" who had earlier been described as a ringleader was not among those released.

The eight accused, aged between 18 and 23 years, were accused of stealing arms to attack security police headquarters during the Poznan riots in which 53 people were killed and 200 wounded.

During the trial — the longest in the series — a defence lawyer said it could

have been proved that the first shot was fired by the security police "but not all the witnesses were heard."

The Court retired to consider its verdict last Thursday after an 11-day trial during which it heard more than 100 witnesses.

About 200 people packed the public benches when Judge Dionizy Piotrowski and two others hearing the case with him entered the courtroom.

When he announced the adjournment, a defence lawyer asked that all eight in the dock should be released from custody.

After a 10-minute adjournment the Judge announced that only three would be freed.

Judge Piotrowski said the court considered it had not heard sufficient evidence in the case of another of the men in the dock, a 20-year-old driver.

TV STRIKE

Executives Take Over Operation

Paris, Oct. 22.

The Director-General of the French television network and his top two executive chiefs have turned announcers and newscasters because of a strike now affecting the government-operated TV chain.

The three top officials are Vladimir Porche, Director-General of French TV, Jean Darcy, Director of TB programme, and General Marion Leschi, Director of Technical Services.

NEW STATUTE

They issued a statement today saying they "respecting the right to strike of the French television network staff, but also respecting the right of TV spectators to the news, they have taken this step in order to ensure continuity of a public service."

TV artists, scenery men and property personnel went on strike six days ago in protest against changes in their new statute governing conditions of hiring, promotion and salary grade.

TV news staff men decided to strike as a consequence with other employees.

Tensions Too Severe

To Ignore World Organisation

HAMMARSKJOLD'S APPEAL

New York, Oct. 22.

Mr Dag Hammarskjold, The United Nations Secretary-General, made a plea today for greater use of the world organisation in helping to settle disputes such as Suez.

In his annual report to the General Assembly, Mr Hammarskjold said that the tensions of the times were too severe to permit neglect of the resources the United Nations could offer.

"We should, I believe, seek a development which would give greater emphasis to the United Nations as an instrument for regulation of settlements, as distinct from the mere debate of issues," he added.

Bearing On Suez

He said that his observations applied to several problems coming up before the General Assembly, which convenes on November 12, and added: "What has been said about the role of the United Nations also had a bearing on the Suez problem."

Noting the progress made in obtaining agreement on atomic energy, Mr Hammarskjold commented: "If the nations have found it possible to join together in a constructive programme to use atomic energy for man's peaceful progress, they should also be able to find a way in time to join together in a disarmament programme that will provide them all with safeguards against destruction."

In a special section devoted to Africa, Mr Hammarskjold said the continent was in "a crucial state of transition."

"The urgency of the time factor in seeking peaceful and orderly solutions for Africa's basic problems has become even more evident in the year under review than before."

"In the interest of the common good, the United Nations must seek to be as helpful as possible to this continent in transition to its independent and dependent areas alike," said the Secretary-General.

Challenges

"We live in a period of fundamental and rapid changes in the relationship of nations and peoples having to do with economic and social systems," commented the Secretary-General. "The new age that is emerging is an age of promise, it could also become one of disaster."

There were three great challenges: "First, the relationship of the peoples of Asia and Africa with the peoples of Western traditions; second, economic development for that majority of mankind which has so far shared so little in the fruits of the industrial age; third, the unresolved conflict between the ideologies that divide the world."

"Because the United Nations is now becoming more widely representative, its capacity to serve as an influence for peace and constructive progress has been increased," he said.

Turning to the world economic situation, Mr Hammarskjold said that the most serious problem remained the "continued widening of the gap" between the industrially advanced countries and the under-industrialised countries in the relative rate of growth of her capital incomes.

The wide fluctuations in commodity markets on which the under-developed countries were so dependent was a problem that must be overcome, he said.

"The stabilisation of the prices of primary products should, I believe, have a high priority in an international programme for economic development," Mr Hammarskjold said.

Greater Understanding

"I do not suggest new international machinery for this purpose, what is needed is greater understanding and goodwill on the part of both governments and peoples in using the machinery that already exists," — Reuter.

Weighty Automation Victims

Derby, Oct. 22.

The owners of a factory with automation here are to install a "bucking horse" reducing machine to slim workers putting on weight because of automation.

They are also reported to have decided that occasional changes of job are necessary for men whose only duty is to watch the plant processing mica.

The men are paid £14 sterling a week in the plant just to watch the machines carry out jobs that human hands once did.

The men were delighted when they began their duties in the £500,000 sterling automatic factory—but now they are gaining weight.

The most serious case has been George Mee, aged 33, whose weight increased from 150 lbs. to 194 lbs.

A doctor pronounced him a "victim of automation" and ordered a dose of hard work. So the firm has switched him from watching mica being made to carrying it around in huge sacks until his weight comes down. — China Mail Special.

PAY INCREASE

Manchester, Oct. 22. Maintenance men at Britain's textile mills were today awarded a 10 per cent pay rise of five per cent by the Industrial Disputes Tribunal, an independent body set up by the Government for settling in deadlocked disputes.

Employers had rejected the union's claim for 12½ per cent increase as the industry "is in grave difficulties and profits have fallen considerably."

The workers concerned are engineers, fitters, fitters, fitters and fitters. — China Mail Special.

Two Different Brands Of Non-Interference

Washington, Oct. 22. The Secretary of State, Mr John Foster Dulles, said today that while the Soviet Union spoke of non-interference in the internal affairs of other countries, the United States would not provide a good example of non-interference.

He made the comment in informal remarks when Mr Carl Strom was sworn in at the State Department as Ambassador to the Kingdom of Cambodia.

Mr Dulles called Cambodia a testing ground "to see if new and relatively weak countries in the proximity of great despotisms will be able to maintain their independence."

Mr Strom, a career foreign service officer, is to take up his post on November 23, about the time Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev is due to make a winter tour of Cambodia and neighbouring Laos. — Reuter.

PRO-ALGERIAN DEMONSTRATION

Tunis, Oct. 22.

Troops and police were called in to restore order today when some 500 youths held a pro-Algerian Nationalist demonstration in front of the French Embassy here.

The demonstration which was dispersed by troops occurred shortly after the Sultan Mohammed of Morocco passed by in an official motorcade en route from the airport to downtown Tunis. — France-Press.

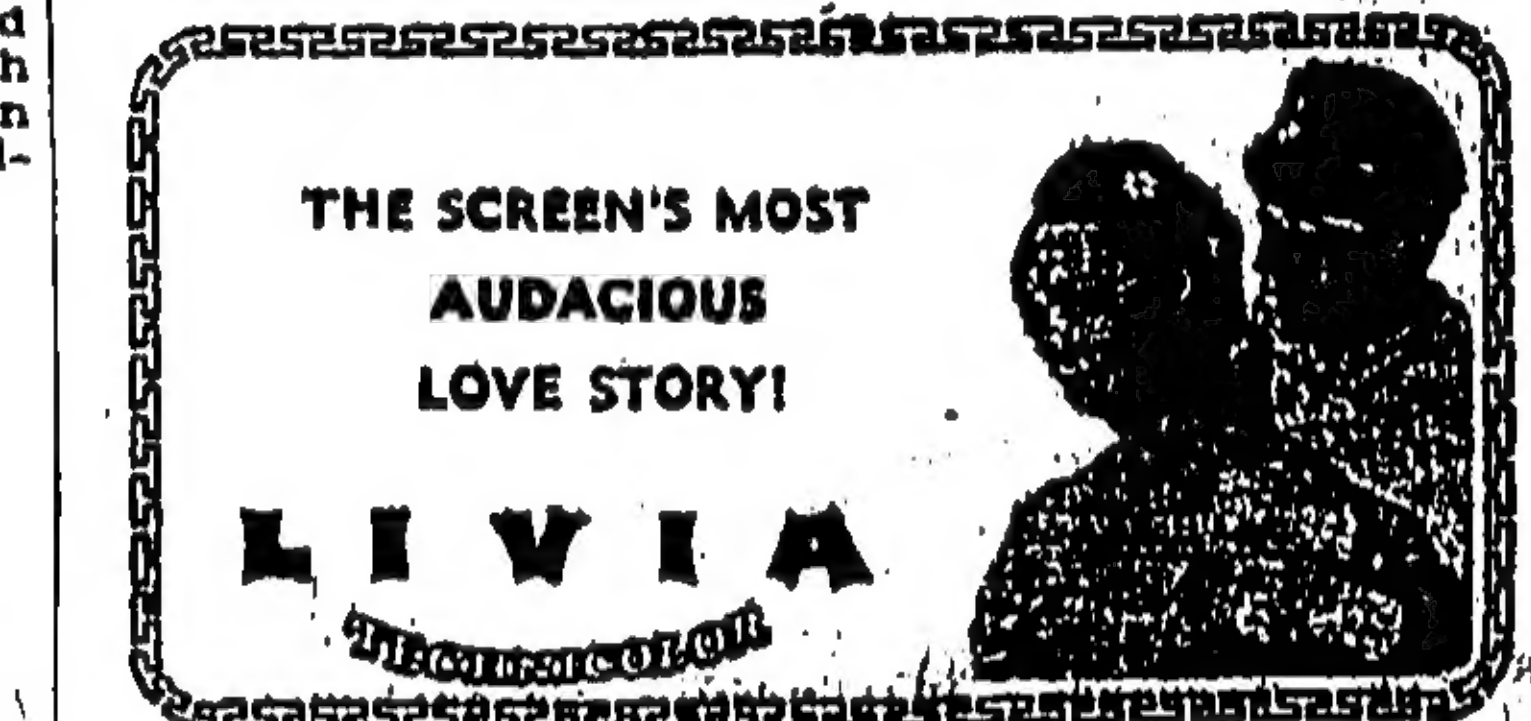
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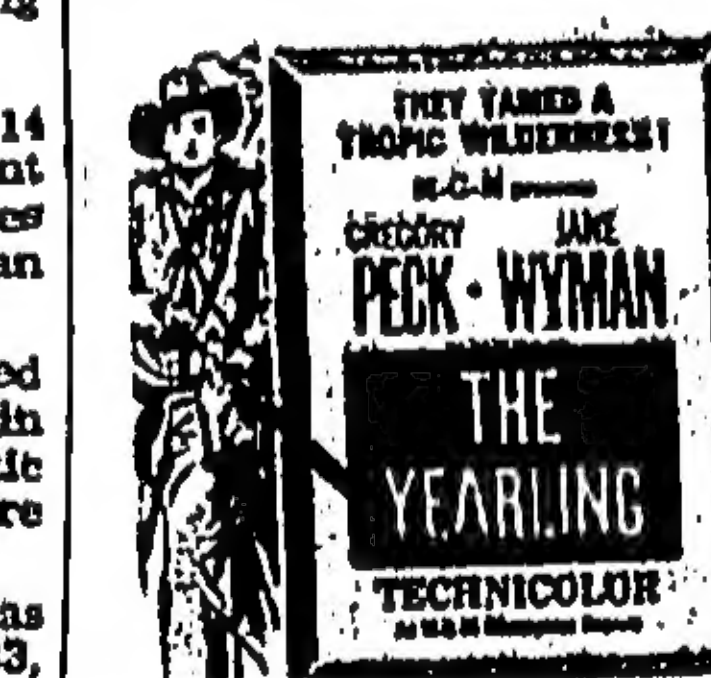
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Marshal Rokossovski's Under Discussion

WIDESPREAD SUPPORT FOR REINSTATED GOMULKA

By SIDNEY TAYLOR

Warsaw, Oct. 22.

Poland's Politbureau today discussed the future of Marshal Konstantin Rokossovski, Polish born but Russian trained Commander-in-Chief now dropped from its ranks usually reliable sources in Warsaw said tonight.

Some unconfirmed rumours said that the Marshal had gone to Moscow.

MR CYRANKIEWICZ

Polish Premier
Visiting India

New Delhi, Oct. 22.
Polish Premier Joseph Cyrankiewicz is due to arrive in New Delhi on November 15 at the invitation of the Indian Government, well-informed sources stated here today.

Arabs Allege Interference In Protectorates

Cairo, Oct. 22.

The Arab League Council appealed to Britain today to stop "interfering" in seven protectorates lying between Yemen and Aden.

Yemen is disputing Britain's control of the protectorates. The Council, representing nine Arab countries, also passed resolutions stating the Arab states would support the principle of self-determination for the people of Cyprus and back Indonesia in her dispute with the Netherlands over West Irian.

UN NOTIFICATION

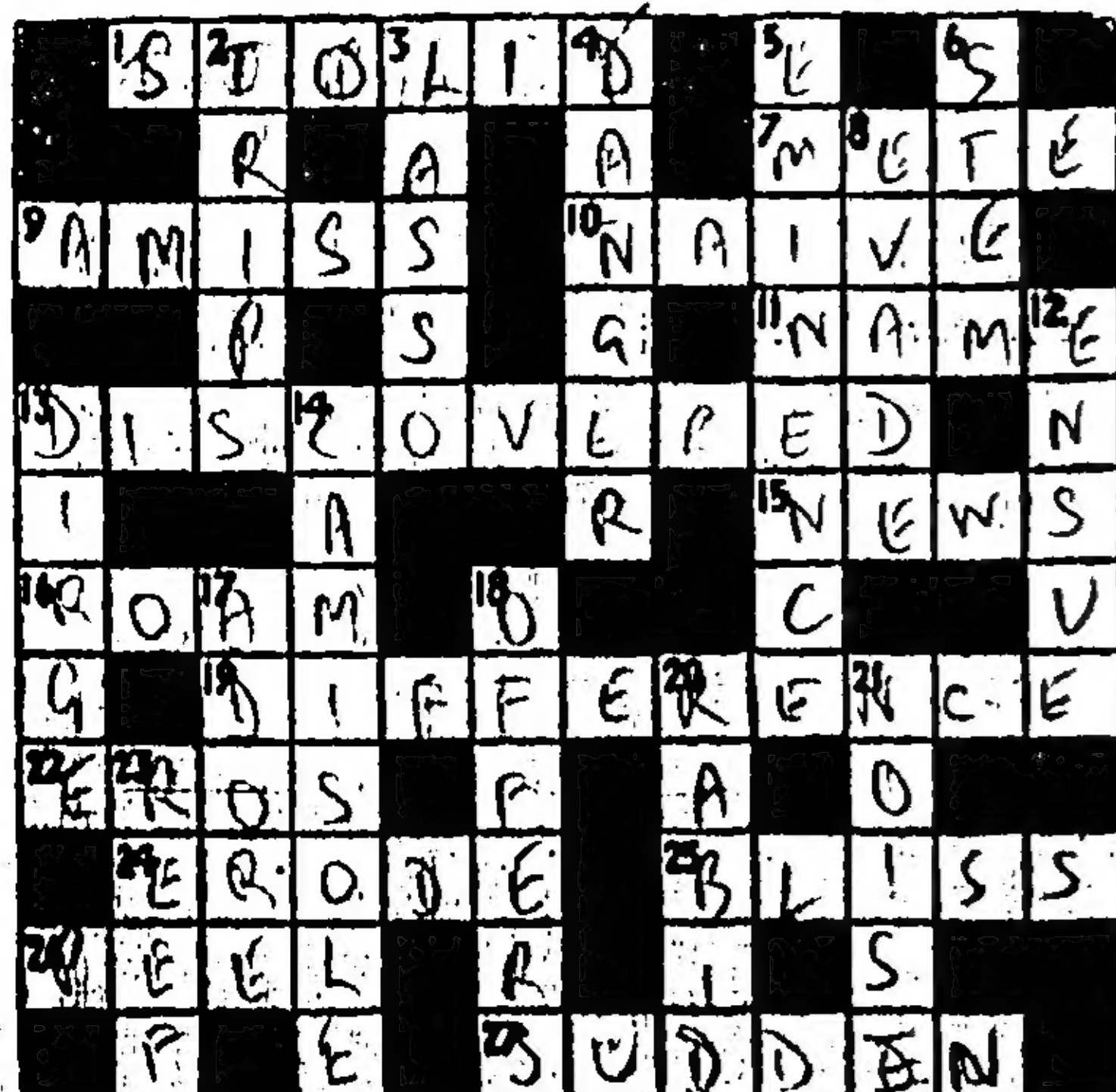
The Council passed a resolution instructing Arab delegates at the United Nations "to take the necessary diplomatic action aiming to put an end to British interference in protectorates."

The Council also decided that the forthcoming session of the UN General Assembly should "be notified" of Britain's occupation of the Emirate of Oman and efforts should be made to "restore the liberty and rights of the Emirate," which borders on Saudi Arabia. —United Press.

Strike Over

New Delhi, Oct. 22.
Delhi postmen decided early today to end a three-day strike during which more than one million letters and parcels have piled up awaiting sorting and delivery. —Reuters.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Unmotivated (6).
2. Measure cut (4).
3. A girl is wrong (6).
4. Ignominious (8).
5. Nominate (4).
6. Found out (10).
7. Information (4).
8. Wander (4).
9. Diversity (10).
10. Cupid (4).
11. Eat into (6).
12. Ecstasy (6).
13. Pure (4).
14. Unexpected (6).

DOWN

1. Excursion (6).
2. Cow-patcher (6).
3. Peril (6).
4. Fame (6).
5. Stalk (4).
6. Shun (6).
7. Follow (6).
8. Mournful refrain (6).
9. Feminine undergarment (6).
10. Forswear (6).
11. Tension (6).
12. Mock (6).
13. Dile (6).
14. Ridge of rock (4).

YESTERDAY'S CROSSWORD.—Across: 1. Ruined, 4. Heart, 7. Aspect, 8. Time, 10. Side, 11. Pity, 12. Space, 13. No, 14. Sides, 15. Sides, 16. Sides, 17. Sides, 18. Sides, 19. Sides, 20. Sides, 21. Sides, 22. Sides, 23. Sides, 24. Sides, 25. Sides, 26. Sides, 27. Sides, 28. Sides, 29. Sides, 30. Sides, 31. Sides, 32. Sides, 33. Sides, 34. Sides, 35. Sides, 36. Sides, 37. Sides, 38. Sides, 39. Sides, 40. Sides, 41. Sides, 42. Sides, 43. Sides, 44. Sides, 45. Sides, 46. Sides, 47. Sides, 48. Sides, 49. Sides, 50. Sides, 51. Sides, 52. Sides, 53. Sides, 54. Sides, 55. Sides, 56. Sides, 57. Sides, 58. Sides, 59. Sides, 60. Sides, 61. Sides, 62. Sides, 63. Sides, 64. Sides, 65. Sides, 66. Sides, 67. Sides, 68. Sides, 69. Sides, 70. Sides, 71. Sides, 72. Sides, 73. Sides, 74. Sides, 75. Sides, 76. Sides, 77. Sides, 78. Sides, 79. Sides, 80. Sides, 81. Sides, 82. Sides, 83. Sides, 84. Sides, 85. Sides, 86. Sides, 87. Sides, 88. Sides, 89. Sides, 90. Sides, 91. Sides, 92. Sides, 93. Sides, 94. 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They still raise the flag on . . .

A DEAD SHIP STAYS AHEAD

THE world's strangest shrine is a great battleship, fully manned by dead men, lying submerged in the middle of Pearl Harbour.

Rising from the depths is a tall flagpole anchored on the harbour bed.

Each morning a guard of honour proceeds in a launch and, at exactly 8 o'clock, raises the American flag.

The ceremony is carried out in complete silence, except for the bugle call.

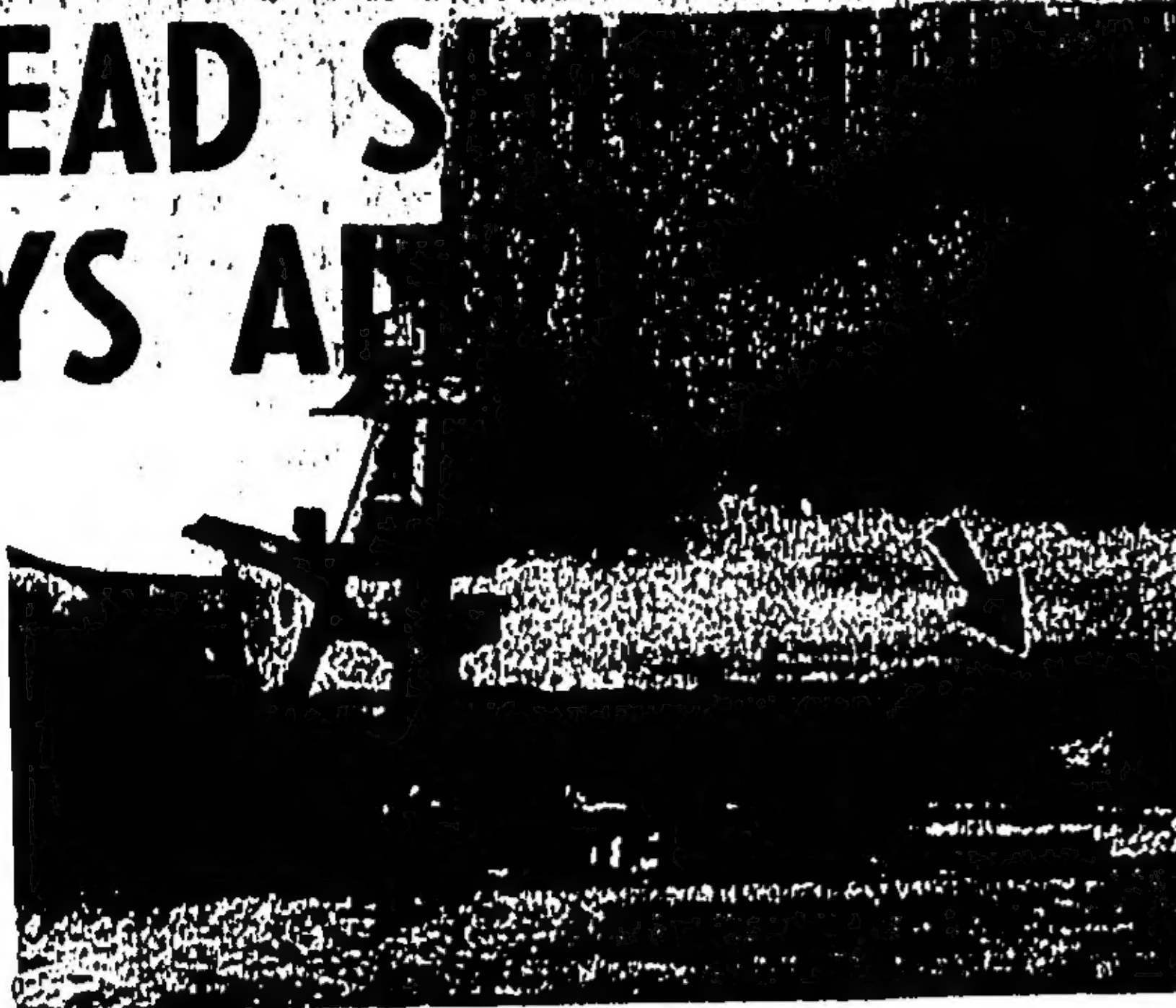
The flag is that of the USS Arizona, the great battleship which is lying on the warm seabed, a rotting, rusting hulk.

By **BILL WHARTON**

When the Japanese attacked Pearl Harbour on December 7, 1941, Arizona was the only ship to be completely destroyed at Pearl Harbour. Eleven hundred of her 1,500 officers and men died with her, including the Rear-Admiral.

The United States Navy Department refused to decommission the battleship; she remains on the Navy's books just as if she were still in service and her colours are raised and lowered daily just as if done on every other fighting ship.

When she was bombed in December 1941, Arizona had



almost reached her age of retirement. She was 26 years old, with nine months to go before being declared obsolete.

She carried twelve 14-inch guns in her main battery, and she was a formidable enemy. Her crew was one of the happiest and most contented afloat.

Caught totally unawares at 8 o'clock on that fateful morning, Arizona bravely battled to ward off the wave of torpedo bombers. She was struck her first vital blow under Turret I. Almost-piercing bombs rained on her.

One of these penetrated the deck heads Turret II, and hit the forward magazines, which exploded.

The first that followed rose to 500 feet in the sky. Rear-Admiral Kidd and Captain Van Valkenburgh were killed on the spot.

At that crucial moment a Jap dropped a bomb clean down the funnel. It exploded in the fire rooms and the boilers blew up.

Hell broke loose. The Jap bombers kept coming at Arizona until she was a blazing inferno from fore to aft.

Within ten minutes the fight for Arizona was over. Her back was broken, she listed hard over, she settled too quickly to capsize, and only the wreckage of her superstructure and turrets was left exposed.

But still Arizona fought back. The guns were kept blazing

THE Stars and Stripes still flies bravely at the stern of the sunken U.S.S. Arizona soon after the great battleship was sunk in the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbour on December 7, 1941. That flag still flies.

away at the enemy until the men were unable to touch them for heat. They poured water over the guns and started firing again.

The evacuation of the wounded was going on all the time, but by 9.30 the whole ship was on fire and the remaining men were instructed to get overboard and to swim to nearby Ford Island.

When the blast from hell was over the tally of dead was taken: 47 of the ship's 100 officers were dead, and 1,056 men out of 1,511 were dead. Of 87 Marines on board at the time 74 had died. The 21 musicians in the battleship's band had died fighting.

The American nation mourned their dead—and then asked the Navy Department to let the dead stay with their ship. The Navy agreed. The hulk was stripped of everything above the main deck, and a platform was built and a silver flagpole to mark the resting place of the battleship.

Today and every day her colours are hoisted, not half-masted, but in their full glory.



"Whoever said 'These Protest Marches spread like measles' said something."

"Front" organisations—the Soviet Trojan horses in the free world—are being painted in fresh colours and occasionally reshaped. These superficial alterations cannot conceal the simple fact that they are essentially instruments of international Communism.

NEW PAINT FOR THE COMMUNIST TROJAN HORSES

By **JOHN CLEWS**

THE new Soviet leaders made it pretty plain earlier this year that although world Communism is still their aim, the "tough" tactics of the past are now to be abandoned for more subtle approaches. A smile is most disarming—so long as your gun is kept carefully hidden behind your back. This change of approach is particularly noticeable in Asia and other so-called "colonial" areas.

Over the past 10 years an elaborate system of Communist "fronts" has been built up throughout the world to supplement the more militant Communist organisations. These fronts cover nearly all aspects of life—trade union, women and children, youth and students, scientists, artists, musicians, lawyers, journalists, businessmen. There is also the general "peace" front—the World Peace Council.

In Stalin's time, the aim of these organisations was apparent enough for what they were. Every statement made by Moscow and Peking was at once taken up by them, and every action induced a corresponding reaction.

Blatant Sign

The most blatant sign of their Communist direction was the expulsion of Yugoslavia from the Cominform. Promptly the World Peace Council kicked out its Yugoslav member, overruling the protests of the non-Communist majority. The World Federation of Democratic Youth and the International Union of Students followed suit. I was one of the few present when the IUS Executive expelled the Yugoslav student body. There was no appeal and an investigating commission was refused. Those who attempted to raise the question at the World Student Congress of 1950 were accused of "provocation."

And so the expulsion of the newly-discovered Yugoslav "Fascists" spread to the other fronts.

When Yugoslavia was "rehabilitated" after Stalin's death, the process was reversed. All the fronts found out the error of their ways, and invited the Yugoslavs back again. But the Yugoslavs, once bitten, were twice shy and rejected the offers.

The Yugoslav issue was just one of the striking features of the fronts. Another was the way in which at one time they attacked any organisation considered to be a serious rival. The World Federation of Trade Unions for instance, constantly attacked its non-Communist rivals. The World Federation of Democratic Youth never had a good word to say for the World Assembly of Youth. The International Union of Students had a Circumlocution Society in the International Student

Conference, which it accused of "splitting world student unity." Today all this is changed. Following the old Leninist precept about infiltrating "bourgeois organisations," the Communists have ceased their open attacks on such bodies as the International Confederation of Free Trade Unions and the European Youth Campaign. Instead, they call for "collaboration." They say: "Let us get together over matters upon which we agree,

Mr Clews is a British writer on international affairs whose commentaries have appeared in German, French, Japanese, Indian and American journals, as well as in British newspapers. At one time Mr Clews served on the Executive of the International Union of Students; he also has had first-hand experience of other Communist "front" organisations.

Little Doubt

At the end of September, the General Council of the World Federation of Trade Unions met in Bulgaria. One of the most important matters considered was its proposed African Trade Union Conference at Cairo. In French West Africa, there seems little doubt that the conference will be linked with this proposal to call an Afro-Asian "Bandung" trade union conference next year. Similarly, the International Organisation of Journalists—one of the more recent and less influential fronts—is backing the loss of the Afro-Asian Journalists' Conference in 1957. Mothers and young women will shortly become a special

target for Communist blandishments. The World Federation of Democratic Youth is holding an International Meeting of Young Girls at the end of October in Paris, while the Women's International Democratic Federation is believed to be planning an Asian Mothers' Conference to be held at about the same time in Indonesia. In December there is to be an Asian Writers Congress in India under World Peace Council auspices.

With one or two exceptions—the Moscow Youth Festival in particular—the dates and organisational detail of these events are very vague. The young girls' meeting, for instance, has been postponed once, "to allow more preparations," in other words to attract more "delegates." Little long-term planning is necessary for these Communist fronts because they are simply demonstrations of solidarity with whatever line the Communists happen to be following at the time. They are not intended to promote any serious discussions. Among the most recently formed Communist front organisations are the so-called "Asian Solidarity Committees." They have so far been set up in

Japan, India, China, North Korea and the Soviet Union. The Soviet Committee has its headquarters not in any part of Soviet Asia, but in Moscow. So far, meetings of these Committees have been held in Delhi and Peking. It is also proposed to hold an "Asian-African Economic Conference" early next year.

Moscow and Peking now prefer the path of indirect subversion to their old policy of direct action. This is the purpose of all the "trade union" meetings, rallies, writers' congresses and youth festivals.

Special Year

Next year will be a special year for Communists, since it will mark the 40th anniversary of the Russian Revolution. In this connection, the Moscow Youth Festival planned for next August under the auspices of the WFDY and the IUS will be particularly significant. It will form an integral part of the internal Soviet campaign to glorify the achievements of the Communist regime. The Soviet Trojan horses in the free world are being painted in fresh colours and occasionally reshaped. But few people will be deceived. These superficial alterations cannot conceal the simple fact that they are essentially instruments of the Communist "anti-colonial" campaign.

EXPERTS WORK ON NEW FIND:

IS THERE A FIFTH GOSPEL?

From **STEPHEN HARPER**

ARCHAEOLOGISTS believed that direct quotations from Christ are contained in an important find they are investigating. There is even a possibility that a fifth Gospel has been discovered.

It is only now that the significance of the 48 papyrus books, hidden at the dawn of Christianity in a large earthenware jar, is being realised. They were found in 1945 by workmen in a Greco-Roman cemetery at Nag Hammadi, a village 70 miles from Luxor, ancient city of the Pharaohs. Professor Henri Puch, French archaeologist, who is leading a seven-man international committee trying to translate the papyrus, said in Cairo: "I'm fairly sure some of the sayings are direct translations from the Aramaic tongue Jesus used."

"There is every possibility that the words may have been taken down from Jesus as he spoke." One of the committee's Professor Tilly of Manchester University. "A few of the documents are damaged because workmen, tired of digging, staked a coffee-pot on them. But most were still un-

damaged when they were sold for £3 to the son of a village Coptic priest.

In 1946, the Coptic Museum in Cairo bought one volume for £250. Another went to the Belgian antiquary Albert Eid, who later died.

Eid's book was sold to famed Swiss psychologist Jung for 30,000 Swiss francs (about £9,000). This book, now partly translated as the Book of Truth, is believed to have been written by an Egyptian named Valentinus in Rome in the second century. Meanwhile, a Cypriot collector had bought the other books for £200 and lent them to a Cairo museum for evaluation.

Their value was realised and, as the Egyptian Government owns all rights in archaeological finds, they stayed in the museum. The owner is to be indemnified. At Aberystwyth, Sir Harold Idris Bell, former Keeper of the Manuscripts, British Museum, said: "I have heard of these Coptic writings, which are of good date, but I have never seen them. Valentinus was a Gnostic (Christian heretic) of the early second century. Scholars have probably found out more about the writings since I last heard about them."

LOVE IN BLOOM

BUT HOW LONG DOES THE BLOOM LAST?

THOSE fragile 'new-bloom' months of marriage—they are the trickiest, most dangerously difficult time in a woman's life.

"I, for one, am much happier in the tenth year of my marriage than I ever was in the first. And I'm perfectly sure every truthful woman would say the same."

All the glossy magazine talk about "the enchanting post-honeymoon period" is bunkum.

It's anything but enchanting. In fact, it's downright explosive.

On the CREDIT SIDE you have the indescribable satisfaction of banging the front door in the face of prying nosy-parkers; and the tender awareness of "belonging" and really being alone.

But on the DEBIT SIDE (for the working bride, anyway) there is learning to do a full-time job of housekeeping into a spare.

And there is the shock of finding out that a charmer in the moonlight may be an untidy monster in the bathroom. NOT SO QUIET

CHECKING round with brides-who-made-the-headlines in the last few months, I find it's all not-so-quiet on the newlywed front.

Barbara Lyon (daughter of the famous Ben Lyon and Bebe Daniels), who has been on weeks married, says Russell Turner, creep down the raphire-carpeted stairs of her London home at 9 a.m. and greeted me: "We had an awfully late night. Would you like some breakfast?"

While the coffee perked she muttered: "I never realised it was so difficult running a house. I'd never scrubbed a floor before. We lost our daily help, and what with cooking, working, and, well, running a house, it's a bit of a strain."

By **GWEN ROBYNS**

She told me of the first time the two sets of parents came to the wedding. It was in the kitchen, and the two mothers came out to help. And you'll never guess which one went out first!

That is round one to Barbara in how to win friends and influence mothers-in-law. It was Bebe Daniels who made the exit.

We talked about how a wedding ring changes your sense of value.

"I used to spend my lunch hours at the dressmaker's or hairdresser's. On Friday I got a big kick out of buying a dustbin, and I don't care if I never see a night club again."

Financially, the Turners are in the position that happens more often than you think. The wife earns much more than the husband... maybe three times as much in this case.

Their solution is that Barbara has the business bank account and Russell the private one, and they are both joint accountants. Most Stalford Hutchinsons (seven weeks bride of Donald Ogilvy) has seen less of her husband than ever before. He works as a night reporter and she works in the day.

Pre-nuptial agreements, an old dressing-gown, and a make-up, she brewed herself a cup of tea for breakfast.

Now, Donald is just coming home from work when she is going out. So her breakfast hour must be as glamorous and cozy as normal newbrides' dinner-time.

TEENAGE BRIDES

AFTER that, I called on a couple of teenage brides who set older heads wagging. They were both young women, both keen to marry earlier this year.

Seventeen-year-old Margaret Gribben and Albert Leigh made news in Britain when they were refused permission by a magistrate because he did not consider £13. 10s. a week a sufficient income. Well—they have been married 17 weeks now and say: "No regrets... the money is working out so well we could even afford to have a family."

Their approach is frank and grown-up—they pool their wages and split what's left after rent, food and savings. But for a fortnight, the girls may have really wanted to wash Bradley of Peckham, London—also a bride of 17 weeks. I've got a lot of respect for a girl who can say: "It was nothing like I expected. These magazines with the kids all lying in front of a Hollywood dressing table have got it all wrong."

I thought I knew John pretty well, but those first few months needed all my tact. It was like walking on eggs. Still, we made it."

Which all goes to prove my point. As time goes on, marriage isn't scary and brides-to-be shouldn't be too nervous. It's a lot more comfortable.



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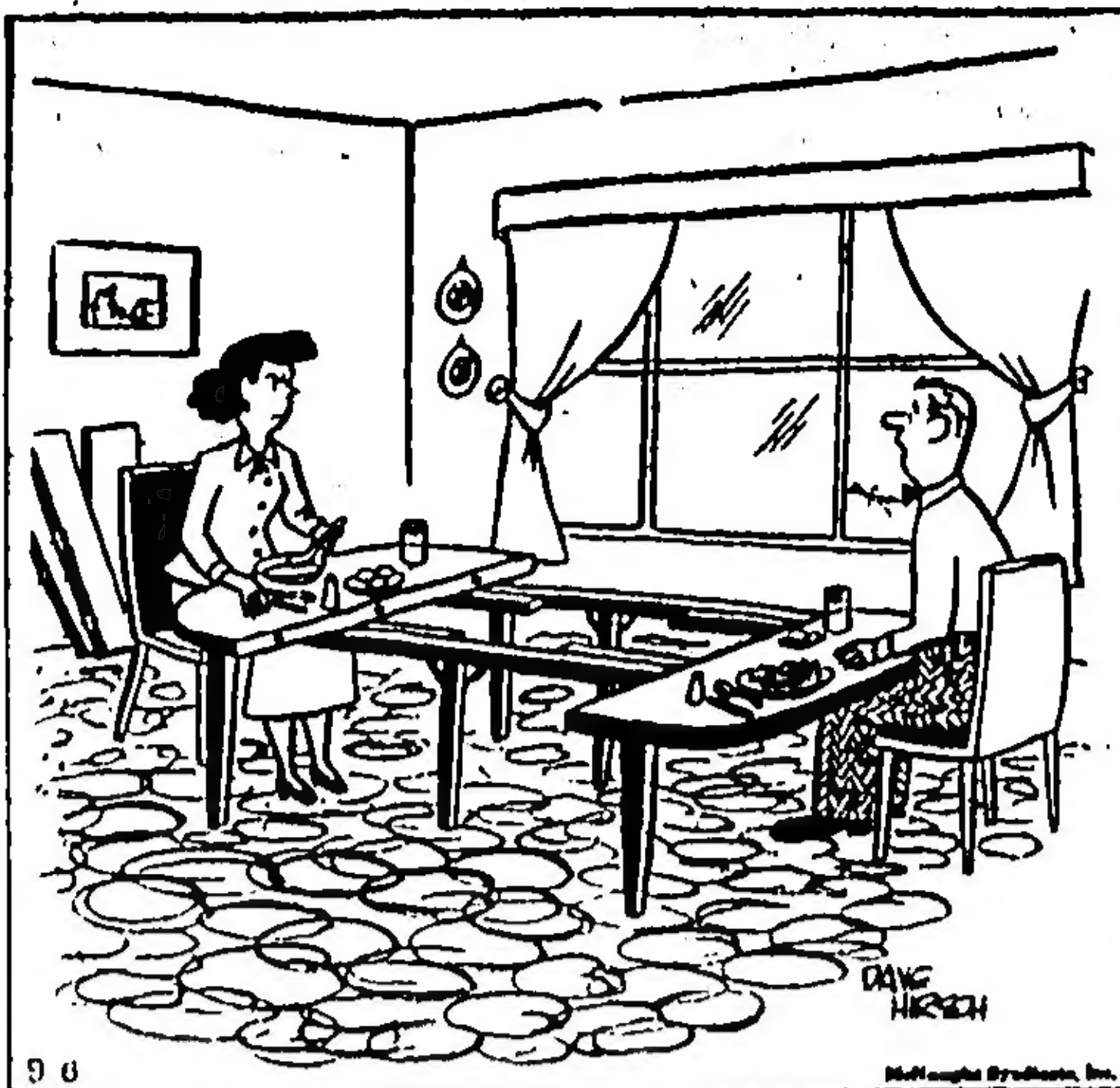
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This Funny World



"Are you angry with me, dear?"

BY THE WAY
by Beachcomber

THE row about transmuting is easily understood. It is an experiment in the milking of cows by progressive selection. Each stall is numbered, and the automatic milker works in reverse, so that odd and even numbers are milked alternately, but in such a sequence as to ensure that no two cows in juxtaposition, that is, in adjoining stalls, are milked consecutively. The essence of transmuting lies in this selective process. Critics of transmuting say that there is no point in numbering the stalls, because of two adjoining cows one must be an odd number and the other an even number. To which the answer, so far, is that there is nothing to prevent two even or two odd numbers being side by side. In fact, this would make transmuting easier, as the machine would skip one of the two cows, and go on to a third.

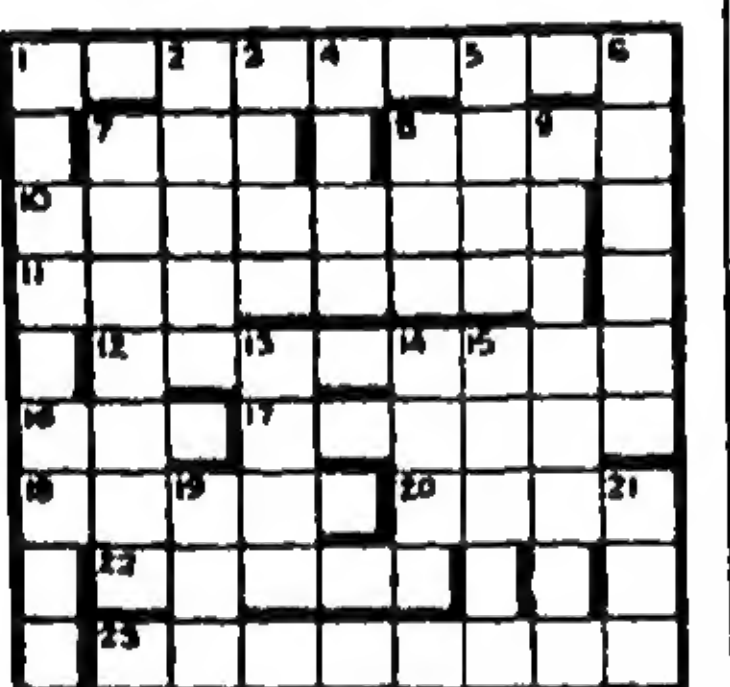
Where did you get it?
A MAGISTRATE said the proceeds of certain robberies are too big for receivers of stolen goods to touch. For instance, a receiver confronted by a man with a full-sized elephant naturally hesitates. Before receiving it he will come to his door, peer up and down the street nervously and try to hustle the beast into a back room. A sudden bout of trans-

muting will bring the neighbours. "It is my nephew from New Zealand practising for a contest," says the receiver. The elephant stamps the floor and brings down electric light-fittings, brackets, plaster, ornaments and what not. "My nephew's got a frightful temper," says the receiver. The elephant's head comes round the door. "He brought me a present of an elephant from New Zealand," falls the receiver. And so the long hours tick by.

The magic biscuit
MAGISTRATE has invented a biscuit which will add two inches to the height of the Eskimos. I wonder if anyone has asked the Eskimos whether they want to be taller, and why? If they grow taller they will only become more impudent, and if this magic biscuit gets into the hands, or rather the mouths, of the Eskimos, they too will become taller and more impudent. And if the biscuits are eaten by enormously tall Eskimos, the architecture of the igloo will have to be changed to fit them. I am old-fashioned enough to think that small Eskimos are all we need.

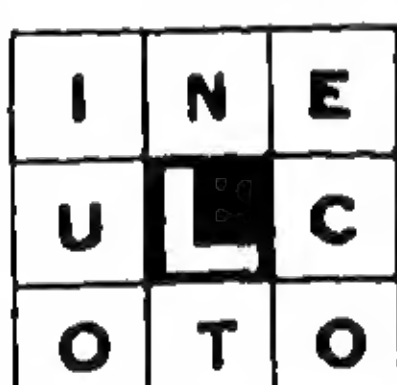
Wisdom of the ages
HE who requires a straw to inform him which way the hurricane is blowing will never be a meteorologist.
(Persian proverb.)

CROSSWORD



1. There's no motive power here except a man with a stick. (4-1)
2. Portugal's trouble spot. (3)
3. Got up. (4)
4. Cont. this describes a bit of a clock. (4)
5. Order is to a shopkeeper. (5)
6. Road to be it. (4)
7. Run differently. (3)
8. Here's one of a coloured race. (5)
9. This may result in damages. (5)
10. Children are bound to. (4)
11. They go up steadily. It seems (5)
12. CAUSE change to other things. (8)
Down
1. Traveling this way it's better than anything. (4)
2. Hole at the top of the world. (3)
3. It's at the top of this page. (4)
4. Sharp. (3)
5. No place for day time builders. (4)
6. On edge. (3)
7. Nothing in sec. (5)
8. Out fit (tag). (7)
9. A word for a fair-haired man. (5)
10. The four (4)
11. The drinker may be in (4)
12. Life begins at this point. (4)
13. A source of (4)
14. Mr. Tyler. (3)

TARGET



HOW many words of four letters or more can you make from the letters in the square on the left? In making words, the small squares may be used only once. Each word must contain the large letter in the centre square, and there must be at least one nine-letter word. A word may be proper or improper. TODAY'S TARGET: 31 words, 39 words, very good; 32 words, excellent. Solutions tomorrow.

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION Life is a journey, and the journey is a life. (10 letters) Life is a journey, and the journey is a life. (10 letters) Life is a journey, and the journey is a life. (10 letters)

YOUR BIRTHDAY... BY STELLA

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23

BORN today, you possess a rare and combative artistic talent and practical, good, common sense which makes for success in a career. You have talents in a number of fields—music, literature, especially fiction and poetry. You have a wide imagination and an easy facility with words which makes it possible for you to transmit your ideas to others. You have a great deal of nervous energy and this sometimes over-rides your physical stamina. This in turn, leads to the building up of tension. Since you are not due to seek help from others at such times, you draw back into your shell and suffer in silence. It might be better for you in the long run if you were to seek the help and advice of close friends, rather than trying to bottle up your problems inside yourself. Your independence and self-reliance are fine characteristics, but even they can be overstressed. Your magnetic personality draws people to you, and you often find

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 24

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)—One of your most productive days this month. See that you reaps a substantial profit out of your efforts.
SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 22)—It may be necessary to deal with the public in handling personal or family interests. Should bring good results.
CAPRICORN (Dec. 23-Jan. 20)—A fine day to improve personal relationships. Make new contacts and develop those of old standing.
AQUARIUS (Jan. 21-Feb. 19)—A fine day to promote your personal interests. See that you reaps a substantial profit out of your efforts.
PISCES (Feb. 20-Mar. 21)—Probably the best day so far this month for your business, career and professional interests.
ARIES (Mar. 22-Apr. 20)—A fine day for all who deal with the public. See that you reaps a substantial profit out of your efforts.
Taurus (Apr. 21-May 21)—Concentrate on your major objective. If social events, attend, enjoy them insofar as they aid your progress.
GEMINI (May 22-June 21)—If you are seeking a better job in your own organization or outside it, you may find one now.
CANCER (June 22-July 22)—Personal performance is at its best. See that you put your best foot forward in everything.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)—Combine public and private interests to the best possible advantage. You can improve your status by so doing.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)—Home affairs probably take precedence over anything else just now. Entertain friends in your own home.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 22)—A fine day for all who deal with the public. See that you reaps a substantial profit out of your efforts.

JACOBY ON BRIDGE

End Play Is Trick Stealer

By OSWALD JACOBY

HOLDING up an ace is common at no-trump contracts. In today's hand, South held up an ace for a peculiar reason. West opened the queen of hearts, and South played low from the dummy. East carelessly played low, and West was allowed to hold the trick. West continued with a heart for lack of anything better to do, and dummy won. Declarer next drew two rounds of trumps, cashed the top diamonds, and gave up a diamond trick.

When East now led a club, South played low and end-played West. If West returned a club, South would get a free finesse; and if West returned anything else, dummy could ruff while South discarded the queen of clubs. East could have saved the day by playing the king of hearts at the first trick. He

NORTH 23		
♠ J 7 4 2		
♥ A 7		
♦ K 4 2		
♣ 9 7 3		
WEST		
♠ 8		
♥ Q J 10 8 2		
♦ 7 5 3		
♣ K J 10 4		
EAST		
♠ 9 5		
♥ K 5 4 3		
♦ Q J 10 9		
♣ 8 5 2		
SOUTH (D)		
♠ A K Q 10 3		
♥ 9 6		
♦ A 8 6		
♣ A Q 8		
Neither side vul.		
South	West	North
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠
4 ♠	Pass	5 ♠
Opening lead—♥ Q		

could then return a club to give his partner one immediate trick in that suit. East would later get the lead with a diamond and could return another club, thus rescuing his partner from the end-play and defeating the contract.

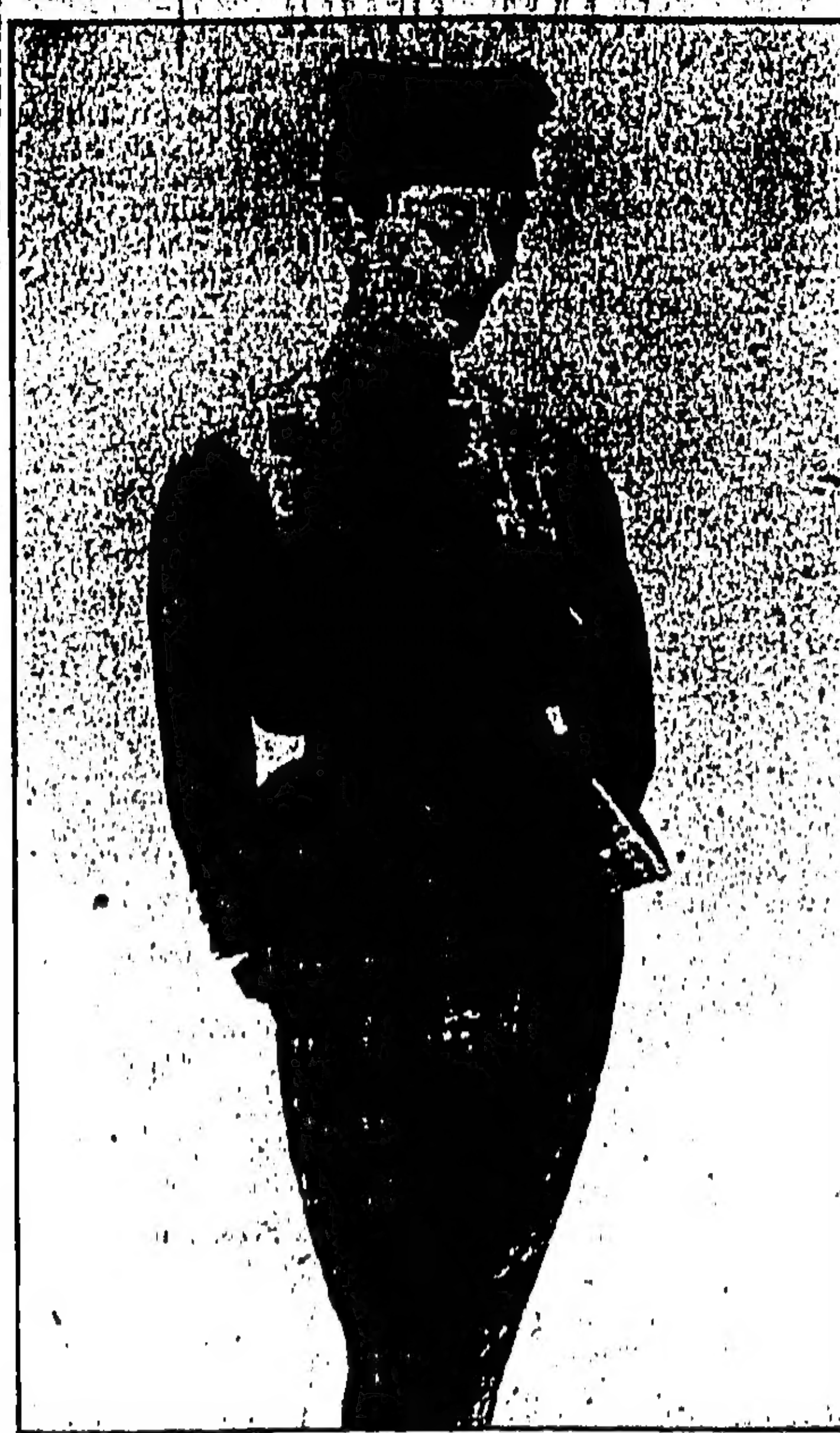
Declarer had won the first trick with dummy's ace of hearts. It would have been easy for East to rescue his partner from the end-play. South would have to draw trumps and play the diamonds and the danger would be obvious. East would make sure to win the heart trick with the king and return a club, and he would use his diamond trick for the same purpose.

CARD SENSE

Q—The bidding has been North—East South West 1 Club Pass 1 Heart Pass 1 Spade Pass
You, South, hold:
♠ 7 2 ♠ J 9 8 ♠ A Q 2 ♠ Q 10 4
What do you do?
A—Bid two no-trump. With a balanced hand and strength in the unbid suit it is up to you to make the first move towards no-trump.

TODAY'S QUESTION
The bidding is the same as in the question just answered. You, South, hold:
♠ 7 2 ♠ J 9 8 ♠ A Q 2 ♠ Q 10 4
What do you do?
Answer Tomorrow

WOMANSENSE



THE MATCH-MAKING THEME PREVAILS IN PARIS

THERE'S something fascinating about the woman who looks all-of-a-piece. Her appearance is serene and unharassed. She presents a picture which is a complete and related whole, rather than a mass of differently coloured odds and ends.

At Madeleine de Rauch, the match-making accessory is a clever and fashionable tweed cape. On warmish autumn days, it buttons on to a high-necked, slim, unbelted, low-cut dress making a smart outdoor ensemble (top picture, left). When the really cold winds blow, off comes the cape, to button on again—this time, to a fur-collared, two-piece outdoor coat, which thus makes a useful threesome (top picture, right).

Ideas like these may be too expensive or too complicated for your own wardrobe, but the theme is worth remembering. An extra piece of material will often make a matching stole, bolero or scarf. If you choose suede shoes, have gloves, handbag and belt to match—or the same thing applies to kid. A velvet collar on your wool coat or suit can be 'picked up' with velvet borel or simply velvet trimming on your hat. With a little thought, you will find that matching is a more delicate and rewarding art than mixing!

—JANE FIRTH

Fretting About Freckles? Here's What To Do—

By JEANNE D'ARCY

"WHAT can I do about freckles?" asks a reader.

The best answer we can think of is, "Grin and bear 'em."

They're really not the curse some women make them out to be. Often freckles have a saucy look. What's more, we've noticed that they made a girl appear younger than she really is. Who can complain about that?

Many famous beauties are freckled. Offhand, we can think of such Hollywood stars as Amanda Blake, Myrna Loy, Katherine Hepburn. Freckles haven't stood in their way to fame and fortune.

Still, if freckles are something you're really fretting about,

there are three things you can do to help the situation! First on this list is this bit of advice: Stay out of the sun. No sense in adding to your speckles. When you do head into the sunshine, cover up with a protective lotion that will screen out strong sun rays.

Second, comes a hint on how to camouflage freckles. There's no way of covering them up completely but you can tone them down by wearing a slightly darker shade of foundation and powder.

Third, don't worry about them. Things could be worse, you know. A freckled complexion is far more pleasing than skin that's studded with blemishes, blackheads or enlarged pores. We've noticed these unpleasantities don't seem to pose problems for girls with freckled skin. Usually, they have smooth unblemished complexions.

BOYS' AND GIRLS' MAGAZINE

The Whale Goes Fishing

—But Simon's Mother Had The Right Bait—

By MAX TRELL

"I was last Tuesday, I think—or perhaps it was Wednesday or Friday—said Mr. Punch to Knarf and Hamid, the shadow children with the turned-about names, and Teddy, the Stuffed Bear, 'that I looked in on my good friend Simple Simon.'

Knarf and Hamid and Teddy waited for Mr. Punch to go on. He lit his pipe, settled himself back comfortably in his chair and went on.

Calico Street

"Now, as you all know, Simple Simon lives in a house at the corner of Calico Street and Cheshire Cat Lane. He lives in a low green rambling house, with his mother. But usually Simon isn't inside his house."

"I know where he is," Teddy interrupted. "Where might that be, Theodore, my old friend?"

"I might be," said Teddy. "But he would be sitting in the garden under the shade of a crab apple tree, fishing in a wooden pail for a whale."

Mr. Punch nodded. "Exactly right," he said. "I mean, usually he would be fishing for a whale. And now it's only fair that I should get a chance to fish for him!"

He went on with his long legs sticking out.

"Well," continued Mr. Punch. "I went up to the whale to see what this was all about. The whale looked at me. Then he said in a very high, squeaky voice that sounded very much like a mouse, 'I wouldn't look so surprised if I were you, sir. I'm only doing what's fair.'

"You're fishing for Simple Simon," I said.

"Yes, you see," the whale explained, "for years and years—ever since anyone can remember—Simon has been fishing for me. And now it's only fair that I should get a chance to fish for him!"

Not Hungry

"I don't really think I'll catch him, though," the whale went on with a sigh. "He's been in that pail ever since breakfast. But I don't think he's hungry yet. You can't catch a fish, or a fisherman unless he's hungry."

"At that moment Simon suddenly put out his head, took a breath of fresh air and said to the Whale: 'It's the wrong bait!'

"Then he went back into the pail."

"The Whale turned to me with a sigh," said Mr. Punch. "Then he said in his sad, squeaky voice: 'I've put on an apple at the end of my line—line red apple. But I guess Simon doesn't care for apples. Do you think I ought to try a codfish or a slice of bread and jam? Do you think he would bite at that?'

"Before I had a chance to answer—and it wasn't an easy question to answer either—Simon's mother came to the back door and called out loudly: 'Simon! Time for dinner. Come quickly before the hot cakes get cold and the ice cream gets warm!'

"Simon instantly sprang out of the pail and ran into the house for his dinner."



The Whale was fishing for Simple Simon.

These who balk at just plain old eggs, served in the usual boiled, poached or fried ways, are delighted when served shirred eggs cooked in one of Nature's containers—green peppers or tomatoes. They are healthy, different and delicious. This recipe, for Savoury Shirred Eggs will serve 3 to 6.

Hot Cakes
The Whale said: "So that's it... hot cakes and ice cream. That's what he likes. Well, I'll know better next time. And with that he flipped his tail and plunged into the pail."

"I thought he was gone," said Mr. Punch, "but he peeked out again the next moment. 'But don't think I'm the only one who doesn't know how to fish,' he said to me, 'Simon, isn't any better. He doesn't know what whistles like. And I'm not going to tell him. He'll never catch me, I'm sure!'

And this time he was gone."

Mr. Punch looked at Knarf and Hamid and Teddy. "Strange things happen in Mother Goose-Land, my friends, especially at the corner of Calico Street and Cheshire Cat Lane."

After a long pause, Constable Grouse turned abruptly and waved him away. "You haven't interrupted me, have you?" he said gruffly. "Don't stop here. Rupert is surprised. How can I interrupt him when he isn't doing anything?" he asked. "Asymptotically steady."

he doesn't want me so I'd better go on. Running into the dip and up the other slope he puts another solitary figure watching the distant countryside. "That looks like the square," he muttered. "Perhaps I can see a good hare. He is always steady."

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IT'S TIME TO CHANGE THE BREAKFAST PATTERN

FOOD patterns change with the seasons. So if your brood has been skipping breakfast, the changing season should be the signal to change their breakfast pattern.

Everything stops up—school activities, work and play. Appetites are sharpened, too, by the brisk, cool air.

A good breakfast provides about one-third of the food needed for the day and is nutritionally of vital importance. Milk, cereal and fruit combine to make an entirely adequate breakfast, even if a simple one, provided enough of each food is taken. But, of course, the thing is to add to and vary the basics, to provide little surprises so that the meal becomes a pleasure rather than just a retort.

The youngster who balks at cereal will become a real fan if cereal is topped with brown sugar and a few raisins. The little girl who just won't drink her milk will ask for a second glass if her mother adds something to it.

CHOCOLATE DRINK
With Chocolate Honey Milk, one doesn't have to be a little girl to enjoy it.

To prepare, stir ¼ c. water into ¼ c. cocoa. Cook to a smooth, thick paste.

Add ¼ c. honey. Reheat. Add ¼ c. milk, tsp. vanilla, tsp. butter. Mix well. Store in covered jar in refrigerator.

When ready to serve, add 2 or 3 tbsp. to 1 c. of hot or cold milk.

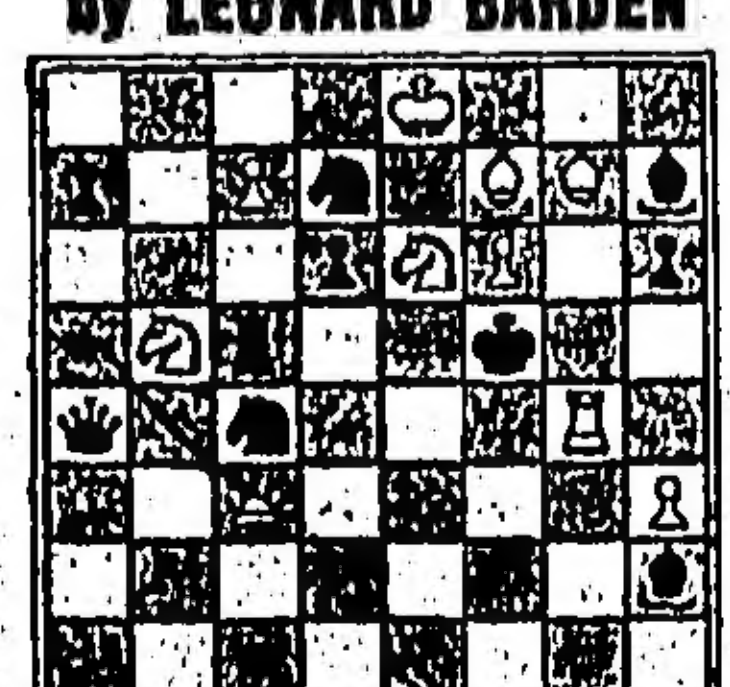
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PEPPER CONTAINERS
For green pepper containers just cut off top, remove seeds to make a cup, parboil 3 min. In boiling water, drain. To do whole tomatoes, just cut off tops, scoop out centre (not too generally). If you're not using vegetable containers, just plain rambling, then simply grease sides and bottoms with butter or margarine.

Whatever vegetable is used, fill and pepper the inner surface. Slip an egg into each prepared cup. Season top with salt and pepper. Bake in 350° F. oven for 15-20 min. If green pepper, use 15-20 min. If tomato, use 20-25 min. If egg is not about 15-20 min. ALICE DENHOF

CHESS

by LEONARD BARDEN



A problem by J. Buchwald (Enrique, 1946). White makes in two. Solution to yesterday's problem:
1. Kt:P, P:Kt; 2. P-R7, R-K1;
3. Q-K1, Q-R3; 4. Q-Q3, Q-Q3;
5. B:P mate; 6. Q-R3, Q-R3;
7. Q-B4, Resigns.

Hate And Win Is U.S. Swim Code

Jack Wardrop goes back to America in January. He has another three months to do at Michigan University before taking his final pre-law BA examinations. Before he goes he would like to pass on to Britain's young swimmers the knowledge he has gained in the hard school of American University sport. He told me:

In my young days (says this "old man" of 24 summers) we had to learn competitive swimming by trial and error. It wasn't until I went to the States that I really learned what it was all about. When I got back to Britain last month I planned to spend a few days in Wallasey with Neil McKeech (Wardrop's successor as 110, 220, and 440 yards ASA champion) to help him along, especially over 200 metres, the distance our relay team will have to swim in Melbourne.

BEST DISTANCE

It's my best distance (Jack is world record-holder) and it's what I'll be glad to give it. Perhaps I shall be able to do it in the Olympic training week at Blackpool. Whatever the results of my trials I still want to help British swimming. Swimming in American Universities is treated more as a business. Though it is an amateur sport, it is presented professionally to the public. I learned to be a competitor, not just a swimmer having fun. When I race now I have learned to hate my rivals' guts. I suppose that is what's called the killer instinct.

There isn't much worrying about style in America, but competition and the determination to win are all-important. Almost all coaches in America hold university degrees in physical education, following four or five years of study. And they have to provide results, especially in inter-university matches, or they don't hold their jobs. So we swimmers learn that we too have to win.

OUR WEAKNESS

That means learning to stand up to the strain of training and competition mentally as well as physically. That is the main weakness in British swimming. There is too little opportunity for the swimmers to have inculcated into them the real meaning of competitive swimming and all it demands on mind and body. During the formative years between 1948 and 1952 wherever the Wardrop twins went an entourage of five went too. These were the five men of Motherwell.

People called it the "Wardrop circus". Holidays were planned to fit in with the big swimming meetings—few athletes had better care. In Olympic parlance, "Chef de Mission" was Pop Wardrop, a blacksmith by trade. A quiet man but a real one. Jack thinks a great deal of his father, and he told me: Dad never says anything until he's thought hard about it—so when he speaks it's a valued judgment. I learned more from him than anyone.

Bobbie Henshaw, a railway driver, acted as our "second". He used to be a Powderhall runner and always saw that we were rubbed-down and warm before and after our races. Jimmy Kerr, a steelworker, weighed up the opposition and kept our morale high, and then

JACK WARDROP STORY as told by PAT BESFORD

there was physiotherapist James McKnight and Doctor Douglas McIntyre.

MEETING PLACE

My mother wasn't interested in our actual swimming. When we had a hard race she didn't ask: "What time did you do?" but "Did it hurt you to do it?" But she was always there to find the things we had lost when setting out on our swimming trips. And we had always lost something.

The Wardrops' small house in Wilson Street, Motherwell, is the meeting place for swimmers in Scotland who travel miles to ask father Wardrop's advice. The man who made Jack was the famous Motherwell Club, who, in 1948 had eight swimmers, including Cathie Gibson, Margaret Gibson, and Jack himself, in the British Olympic team. A record for any one club. Says Jack:

Mr. Crabb gave me my chance. Throughout my swimming career in Britain he trained me and gave me all the facilities I needed. Now he is with me again.

Hockey League Fixtures For The Week-end

Following are the hockey league fixtures for both the ladies and men's divisions over the week-end.

SATURDAY
Recreio 'A' v Recreio 'B' at Boundary Street at 2.30 p.m. Umpires: Kishin and B. Traill.
Greenlands v Greenlands Green at Boundary Street at 4.00 p.m. Umpires: Woll Gordon and Mr. H. King.
King's v K.O.V. at King's Park at 2.30 p.m. Umpires: Mr. Cressie and C.P. Ferra.

SUNDAY
Men's First Division
Navy v New Sharn 'A' at Happy Valley at 4.00 p.m. Umpires: Mr. Gillingham and Mr. B. Traill.
Recreio 'A' v R.A.F. 'A' at Recreio at 4.00 p.m. Umpires: RSM Donnelly and Mr. F. Kayler.
Recreio 'B' v Bookunpoo at Recreio at 2.30 p.m. Umpires: Woll Gordon and Woll Forester.
Army 'A' v Dutch H.C. at Bookunpoo at 4.00 p.m. Umpires: Major Ship and Lt. Col. Lock.
Ladies' Division
Demons v I.R.C. at King's Park at 11.00 a.m. Umpires: RQMS Wetherly and B. Traill.
Army 'B' v R.A.F. 'B' at Bookunpoo at 2.30 p.m. Umpires: Major Webber and Mr. B. Traill.
Navy v Recreio 'C' at Bookunpoo at 11.00 a.m. Umpires: C. H. T. Pinner and Mr. B. Traill.
B.K.H.C. v Army 'C' at Happy Valley at 2.30 p.m. Umpires: Mr. G. T. Pinner and Mr. B. Traill.
Any umpire unable to attend is requested to call Major Turner, tel. No. 62224 ext. 117.

SOCCER

Cook's Half Dozen

Harry Allen is 48 years old and a cook at Whitchurch (South Wales) Hospital. He is also a nippy right winger for the Hospital side in the Cardiff Amateur League. Recently he performed the incredible feat for a man of his age of scoring six goals against "Roath Rangers", but still his side only drew!

Sheffield Share Honours With Rumanian Team

Sheffield, Oct. 22. Sheffield, the English League Division One club, drew 3-3 here tonight with the Rumanian Army team CCA. The Sheffield club led two-one at half time.—Reuter.

HORSE OF THE YEAR SHOW



A scene during the Horse of the Year show at Harringay. In picture Capt. P. d'Inzeo, the Italian Olympic rider, rides "The Rock" in the "London Slakes".—Central Press Photo.

PREPARE FOR RUSSIA'S CUP ATTACK

Air Travel Is Speeding Soccer As All The World's Game

Says SIR STANLEY ROUS

Invited to enlarge on suggestions about Soccer's future which he made in the current FA Year Book, Sir Stanley Rous, secretary of the Football Association, told Roy Peskett what he considers to have been among the important postwar developments.

Since I became secretary 22 years ago I have made it a practice to draw up development plans for the years immediately ahead. Unless an organisation has a fairly clearly defined policy for the future, much effort will inevitably be wasted. At the moment we are working on another of these "five-year plans" which in due course will be submitted to the FA Council.

Here are a few of the important developments of recent years: The growth of international soccer, largely due to modern air transport. Nowadays, even club teams travel as far as South America, Russia, Australia, and think little of it. England rejoined FIFA and entered the World Cup tournaments. She has also assisted in FIFA's other activities including the very important international courses for referees.

Appointment of a full-time manager for the England team, and the introduction of "pre-match get-togethers". The increase in the number of "B" internationals, the introduction of "Under 23" games, and the whole series of Youth Internationals, including the International Youth Tournament.

Malayan Chinese Soccer Team Leave Saigon

Saigon, Oct. 22. The Malayan Chinese Football team, which played three matches during its short stay in Saigon, left here today for Singapore by air today.

In its last match, the visitors drew with the Vietnam Youth Sports Association, two goals each before 9,000 spectators. After being led two goals to one the visitors equalised three minutes before the end of play. Several receptions were held here in honour of the visitors.—France-Press.

Nowadays, a promising player is nursed through a whole series of carefully graded stages. We are beginning to reap the fruits of this policy.

Q. You stress the importance of air transport. Can you enlarge on that?
To show you what I mean: The England team could be flown to Rome on a Saturday evening after its members had appeared for their clubs. They could play a match before a £75,000 gate on the Sunday and report back to their clubs on the Monday.

Similarly, a Britannia could fly the England team at London Airport, call in at Preswick to take aboard the Scotland team, fly them over to Montreal or New York to play an exhibition match before a "million dollar" gate, and bring them back within 24 hours.

The recent FA tour of South Africa provides a concrete example of the tremendous part air transport plays in modern sport.

In 72 days we played 18 matches in 15 cities and travelled 18,500 miles. With the huge long-range Bristol Britannias and the new-style Comet, it came into service, the prospects are staggering, even to a globe-trotter like myself.

Q. What part is Russia likely to play in world soccer in the near future?
Russia's influence on world soccer has already been considerable, but she still has plenty of unfulfilled ambitions. My guess is that nothing will satisfy her until she has won the World Cup, and I can foresee an all-out attack on the other great soccer nations during the next two years.

Russia has entered for the Olympic Games, and arranged a programme of matches designed to reach its climax during the 1958 World Cup tournament in Sweden.

MOSCOW STRIDES
The Russians have still not equalled the outstanding record of the Hungarians, but the balance seems to be turning in their favour.

During the visit of the Dynamo to Britain at the end of the war the Russians made a close study of the British game. Since then they have taken advice from experts in most other European countries. The Russians like to do things at short notice. I shall never forget the day in 1947 when Lord Burghley and I were invited, with only three days' warning, to fly to Moscow. On behalf of us both I visited the Foreign Office, to ask if the necessary travel documents could be hurried. He turned to me with a whimsical smile and remarked: "Haven't you got a garden you can spend your week-end in? It's likely to do you a power more good!"

League Reunion

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But we got our documents, and since then I have had many dealings with the Russian authorities. I have no doubt that Soccer has played its part in helping to break down the suspicions and hard feelings between the two countries. (COPYRIGHT)

H.K. Army Cricket Team v. Singapore

The following will represent the Army against the Combined Services, Singapore, at Bookunpoo on Thursday at 11 a.m.:

Major Howard - Dobson (Capt), Major French, Blane, Major Goodall, Capt Withall, Capt Bodson, Lt. Wrinch, Lt. Payne, 2/Lt. Gibson, Cpl. Vickers, Tpr. Greenhalgh, Signa Ashcroft, Twelfth man—Lt. Chislett. Umpire—WO H. Barnes. Scooter—Capt Worthy.

Knock-Out Win For Peter Keenan In Title Fight

Sydney, Oct. 22. Britain's Peter Keenan retained his British Empire bantamweight boxing title when he knocked out his Australian challenger, Kevin James, in the second round at Sydney Stadium tonight.—France-Press.

POINTS DECISION
London, Oct. 22. Pancho Bhattachajee, the Indian lightweight boxer who is boxing as a professional in England, out-pointed Jerry Parker of Nottingham over six rounds tonight in Great Yarmouth, Norfolk.—France-Press.

Hammer Throw Over 220Ft.

Paris, Oct. 22. The Soviet athlete, Mikhail Krivonozov, today broke the world record for the Hammer Throw with a heave of 220 feet 10 inches, Radio Moscow announced.

He beat his own European record by 94 centimetres and the former world record, held by the American, Hal Connolly, by 61 centimetres.—France-Press.

Sports Diary

TODAY
H.K. Council Meeting at Sports Road, 9.45 a.m.
K.C.C. Annual General Meeting at clubhouse, 10 p.m.
H.K.C.C. Annual General Meeting at clubhouse, 7.30 p.m.

TOMORROW

Cricket
Combined Services v. H.K. v. Combined Services, Singapore at K.C.C. 11 a.m.
H.K. v. Singapore: Six Counties, Singapore, 10 a.m. 10.15 a.m.
H.K. v. Singapore: H.K. v. Singapore, 10 a.m. 10.15 a.m.
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MARLENE DIETRICH RETURNS TO MOVIE LOT AFTER THREE YEARS' ABSENCE

By ROBERT E. JACKSON

Rome. The world's most glamorous woman has returned to the movie lot after an absence of three years to appear with a person she has publicly described as "the most fascinating middle-aged male in the world."

Marlene Dietrich had long since stopped reading movie scripts when Titanus Films asked her to star in "The Monte Carlo Story." She was too busy blazing new trails as one of the world's highest-paid night club entertainers. However, when told Vittorio De Sica would co-star with her in the film, she lost no time accepting the offer.

"My movie career would just not have been complete without making this picture with De Sica," Marlene said. "He has been an idol of mine for many years, both as an actor and a director, although I never met him personally until I went to Monaco for 'The Monte Carlo Story.'"

"I have seen almost all of his post-war neo-realist films from 'Shoeshine' to 'Bicycle Thief' to 'Umberto D.' and as far as I'm concerned he is one of the few real geniuses left in motion pictures."

The top male screen attraction in Europe today, 34-year-old De Sica is the No. 1 actor on the list of such stars as Anna Magnani, Silvano Mangano, Jennifer Jones, Gloria Swanson, and Gina Lollobrigida, who have appeared with him on the screen.

De Sica has completely fascinated Marlene ever since the morning she arrived at the Hotel de Paris in Monte Carlo, to walk in on the Italian actor-director as he was working before the Technicolor cameras in the lobby. Their meeting stopped production dead for the rest of the day as they have been inseparable companions on the movie set ever since.

AUTHENTIC BACKGROUNDS
No two stars ever got along better. Director Sam Taylor may have had his share of problems during the two-and-a-half months of location shooting at Monte Carlo, but he never had any "temperament" trouble with his two stars.

In "The Monte Carlo Story" Miss Dietrich plays a tilted but broke American divorcee who comes to the principality to marry a millionaire as a means of recouping her gambling losses. De Sica, an inveterate gambler in real life, appears as a handsome Italian aristocrat who has lost his fortune at the roulette tables and is being forced by his servants to Monte Carlo until he finds a "system" to beat the bank.

De Sica's debts mount to such proportions that his entourage finally decides to marry him off to a wealthy woman, whom he all but thinks is wealthy, becomes the choice. Marlene, bellowing De Sica vastly wealthy, accepts his advances. Just as each learns the other is as poor as a church mouse, they fall in love.

Taylor has invaded almost every nook and corner of Monaco with his Technicolor camera, from the sailors' balconies on the waterfront to behind the scenes of the smart hotels and gambling clubs of Monte Carlo. Almost all of the pictures was screened in real-life settings ranging from the Hotel de Paris to the Winter and Summer Sporting Club gambling rooms, with hundreds of gamblers, many of them aristocrats, playing themselves in the picture.

Actress June Allyson completely won the hearts of the citizens of Monaco on her first visit to Europe as effortlessly as she would powder her nose.

She will be long remembered as the dainty Hollywood star who came to Gelselgastel, a large, modern, eight-round stage film studio, to film "Interlude" with co-star Rossano Brazzi. In "Interlude" the handsome Italian actor resumes where he left off when he made "Summer Time" with Katharine Hepburn.

They Do Not Care

Fourteen Army cadets were banned for life as amateur boxers by the Amateur Boxing Association because they took part in a tournament at Nottingham when professionals also boxed in the same ring. That was seven months ago. The cadets, evidently do not care much about the ban, for not one of the 14 has applied for reinstatement.

Her First Fish

Fifteen-year-old Tessa Huggett, of Hall Green, Birmingham, went to Looe, Cornwall, for her holiday. She was taken out on a fishing boat, and induced to take a line. Her first catch was a 12 lb blue shark longer than Tessa.

Fine Hospitality

Old Montserratians entertained Manchester YMCA in the Manchester Amateur League in more senses than one. The league allowed the YMCA to bring 2-1 (thanks to their putting through their own goal) on three occasions!

Brazzi and Miss Allyson met part way in Germany, when the actress arrived with husband Dick Powell and children, Pamela and Ricky. She also was accompanied by her secretary Barbara Salisbury and a lot of luggage.

Brazzi journeyed from Italy with his wife, Lydia, in their expensive car. He had shipped six seven-foot-high wardrobe trunks and a dozen or so other cases by train. The trunks contained two movie wardrobes made by his own tailor.

One of the wardrobes he sent home after the shooting was over, but he explained he needed the other for filming of "The Story of Esther Costello" in which he co-stars with Joan Crawford. That picture is being made in London.

HARD WORKER
"Interlude" is the sentimental story of the romance between an American girl and a celebrated European symphony conductor who finds in her a brief escape from domestic tragedy.

If the plot sounds old, the scenery more than makes up for it.

Although some of the scenes were filmed on stages at Gelselgastel, the bulk of the picture was made at Castle Borried, a fabulous Bavarian estate, and in the city of Salzburg. It was here that some of the scenes were shot. In the famous Mozart concert hall, Miss Allyson, appearing in most of the scenes, withstood 41 days of straight shooting despite her delicate health. She was up at six in the morning to drive for two hours to reach the set and rarely did she return to her hotel until seven at night.

The men of Munich took the petite actress to their hearts because of her fortitude and ability to work so hard. For that reason she was shown more respect than any Hollywood star who ever visited here.

Her fans proved quite considerate most of the time. They do not think of asking for autographs as their American counterparts do, but extend a warm handshake, get the autograph, shake hands again, and say "thank you."—United Press.

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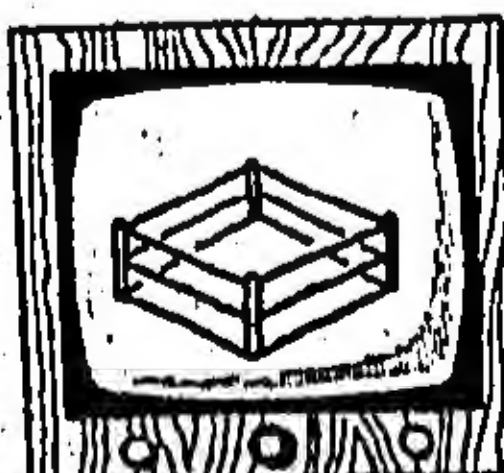
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1 Packing?
2 May be golden
3 Country
4 Engagement
5 Engagement one?
6 Fly?
7 Flight?
8 Puffs
9 Victor
10 Continent
11 Top-dog
12 Indecent
13 Pretend
14 Salletoth

Solution on Page 8

BE SPECIFIC



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Boeblingen, West Germany, Oct. 22
The husky, seductive voice of a pretty
American girl is one of the weapons at
the disposal of one unit of the United
States Seventh Army which uses words
and pictures as weapons.

Known as the Fifth
Loudspeaker and Leaflet Com-
pany, this unit does not give
much away. Generally referred
to as "the 5th L and L," it is
the only psychological warfare
unit with the United States
Army in Europe.

Based at Boeblingen, known
to Americans usually as
"bubblegum," in southwest
Germany, all its 60 men are
specialists and technicians:
expert psychologists, linguists,
artists, writers, printers, litho-
graphers and mechanics.

Midnight Marlene

But the star member of their
staff is, or rather was, a 25-
year-old American girl who is
known to all and sundry as
"Midnight Marlene." Her real
identity is a closely-guarded
secret.

When Seventh Army troops
are in the field on an exercise,
"Midnight Marlene" broadcasts sug-
gestive, insidious propaganda to
the opposing forces over the
Company's loudspeakers for
half an hour around midnight.

While the troops on
manoeuvres shiver in their
camp-factories, the men of this
unit are working overtime in
their air-conditioned trucks and
trailers.

Their campaign to undermine
the fighting spirit of the men
usually begins with a day-long
pouring of illustrated leaflets
showing into the "enemy"
troops' position from low-
flying aircraft or by carefully
fused shells which explode in
the air and scatter their load
of pamphlets over a wide area.

The pamphlets may, for
example, give warning of "mud-
typhus," an imaginary disease,
or tell the men that they are
surrounded and cannot hold
out, they may spread false
rumours or give misleading
advice and sow mistrust of their
leaders.

Blood-Curdling

When darkness falls, the
loudspeakers take over.
Mounted on jeeps, they move up
near the "defending" forces
positions, usually within rifle
range, and unleash a 15-minute
tape recording of blood-
curdling noises, such as the
sound of machine guns, rifle
fire, and the sound of men
being killed, accompanied by
firing and confused shouts and
cries.

This can throw the
"defending" forces into a panic
because they think an attack
is imminent. When order is
restored, the next 15-minute
tape is run through, producing
the noise of an artillery bar-
rage, machine guns, rifle
and mortar fire, intended to unnerve
the soldiers.

About midnight, as the
climax of the "show" ap-
proaches, the loudspeakers
change to playing gramophone
records of sentimental, some-
times nostalgic, songs.

Then "Marlene" comes "on
the air" and speaks to the men
huddled in their foxholes. She
talks to the soldiers about how
cold and wet and uncomfortable
they must be and the worse
ones yet to come. She tells
them how well off they would
be if they just crawled out of
their foxholes "and came over
for a bite of real good, hot
food."

Warm And Dry

"Come over for a drink," she
purrs. "My tent over here is
warm and dry. Come over
and see me sometime."

Some of the troops always
succumb to the call of this
honey-silk voice.

But, recently, "Marlene," who
in real life is a schoolteacher,
left Europe to return to the
United States. Only tape
recordings of her voice are left.
Now the Fifth Loudspeaker and
Leaflet Company is looking for
a replacement.

The unit's work is planned by
expert psychologists, who know
to just which human weakness
to appeal on every occasion.
Their scheme may be to sow
discord and distrust, or to

the men of the comforts of
home, a warm bed and a fire,
and the fate of their loved ones,
or it may be to try to spread
panic, undermine morale and
sap the will to resist by telling
the men how hopeless their
position is.

Should the unit ever have
to go into action in real war,
it is staffed with men who
spare between them, nearly
every language in Europe.
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refugees who have escaped
from countries now under a
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Speed And Accuracy

Much of the success of their
work depends on the speed and
accuracy of their information
about the enemy. Sometimes
the psychological shock of find-
ing out that the other side
knows exactly the latest moves
which a man's unit may have
made, or better still, the moves
it intends to make, suffices to
induce him to open his mind to
further propaganda. — China
Mail Special.

VETERAN ATHLETE FOR OLYMPICS

King Enters
Priesthood

Bangkok, Oct. 22.
Phumiphol Adulyadej, 28-
year-old King of Thailand, to-
day entered the Buddhist priest-
hood after three hours of reli-
gious ceremonies.

Members of the Thai Royal
family, and high government
officials, witnessed the ninth
king of the Chakri Dynasty
wading barefooted and with
shaven head from the Royal
chapel to the Temple of Bone-
natives.

The King, who was suffering
yesterday from a high fever,
had recovered sufficiently this
morning to take part in the
ceremony. — France-Press.

Housewife Mrs. Dorothy
Taylor has once again been
chosen to represent Britain at
the Olympic Games. She has set
up a record in this, having
been chosen for Berlin (1936),
Wembley (1948), Helsinki
(1952) and Melbourne (1956).
Dorothy, the wife of an in-
surance inspector and the
mother of two boys, is among
the world's best high jumpers.
Picture left shows her with
sons Barry and David and
their pet rabbit; picture right
shows her with dancer David
Brown—dancing provides ex-
cellent athletic training. —
Express Photo.

Copenhagen, Oct. 22.
The average length of life of
the Eskimo people of Greenland
is only 29.5 years, compared
with 61 in Denmark, according
to the Danish Weekly Medical
Journal.

A Greenland woman has an
average age of 32.3 years and a
man of only 26.9. About the
third of all deaths are due to
tuberculosis. — China
Mail Special.

Aid Offered
Satellites

Washington, Oct. 22.
The United States has con-
ferred with the Governments of
Rumania and Czechoslovakia
on possible American economic
aid to those countries, informed
sources said today.

Such aid would, however,
require the approval of Con-
gress which does not reconvene
until next January.

The aid envisaged by American
officials may form part of a
general revision of American
economic relations with countries
likely to loosen their ties with
Moscow, these sources said.

At the same time, Washington
sources said that reports of
American plan for big-scale
assistance to Poland were
"premature." — France-Press.

Visitors Will See
New Art Gallery
In Catacomb

Rome, Oct. 22.
Visitors to Rome will next year be able to see
wall paintings in a newly discovered underground
"art gallery" which has been neglected for the
past 1,500 years.

It lies 60 feet under a modern
housing-estate in the suburbs of
Rome, near the historic "Latin
Gate", where one of the oldest
roads of ancient Italy entered
the city.

The paintings adorn the
galleries of a newly discovered
catacomb, where Christian
families buried their dead 1,500
years ago. Archaeologists will
work all through the winter to
restore them, which have been
described by experts as one of
the richest collections of art
dating back to the days of
early Christianity ever brought
to light here.

Unknown artists covered the
walls of the burial chambers
with Bible scenes, stories from
the myths of Greece and Rome,
and hundreds of decorative
patterns of flowers, peacocks,
and cherubs.

Old pilgrims' guide books,
compiled in the seventh century
AD made no mention of this
catacomb because it did not
contain the bones of any Saint
and was therefore not a place
of pilgrimage for the devout
Christian tourist.

TREASURE HOUSE

Until last year, this rich
treasure house of frescoes was
unknown to scholars. But
down the centuries, robbers had
broken into the tombs and in
their search for loot they did
irreparable damage to the
crumbling plaster upon which
the ancient artists had worked.

Reports of the existence of
the galleries reached the
Pontifical Commission for
Sacred Archaeology when part of
the foundations of a house built
over the catacomb, subsided at
the end of last year. The
Commission, which has charge
of all catacombs and early
Christian burial places.

DRAMATIC REALISM

In an arch of the vault, por-
trayed simply and directly with
the dramatic realism of a
fresco from Pompeii, Father
Ferrua saw the scenes depicting
the deception of Esau by his
brother Jacob.

He was astonished not only
by the vividness of the re-
presentation, but by the choice
of episodes which do not
appear among the subjects of
any other early Christian
painting.

Passing through more
chambers opening off the two
main corridors, which form
roughly a letter "T", the longer
measuring some 160 feet, and
the shorter 85 feet, Father
Ferrua found on another wall
a certain tomb unexpected in a
Christian burial place, of
Cleopatra, the Queen of Egypt.
She is seen clasping to her
bosom the poisonous asp which
she used to commit suicide in
order to avoid being taken to
Rome as a captive.

Why the artist chose to
depict this scene in a Christian
catacomb is not clear. One
suggestion is that he wanted to
point the moral of the penalty
of sin by means of a well-
known story.

FAMOUS SURGEON

Father Ferrua went on down
the central corridor, the flicker-
ing light of torches revealed a
six-sided chamber with a
vaulted ceiling supported by six
columns. It contained no
tombs. Part of its roof had
been destroyed by plaster driven
through it for the construction
of houses above.

Here, the principal picture
shows an old man talking and
pointing to a body lying on a
table, while a group of young
men stand listening. Father
Ferrua believes that this repre-
sents a famous surgeon of the
fourth century giving a lecture
to medical students.

Although he admits that the
presence of characters from
pagan mythology is puzzling,
Father Ferrua considers that a
fourth century Christian could
"with a good conscience," have
chosen examples of virtue from
non-Christian sources.

PICTORIAL CYCLES

But he adds, "the problems
raised by this catacomb, and
especially by its pictorial cycles,
will be discussed by experts for
a long time before a satisfactory
solution is found for each of
them."

The legends, now preserved
by problems of interpretation,
will only admit the presence
of three unknown artists who
lived, lived, lived with the
beginning of the Christian
era.

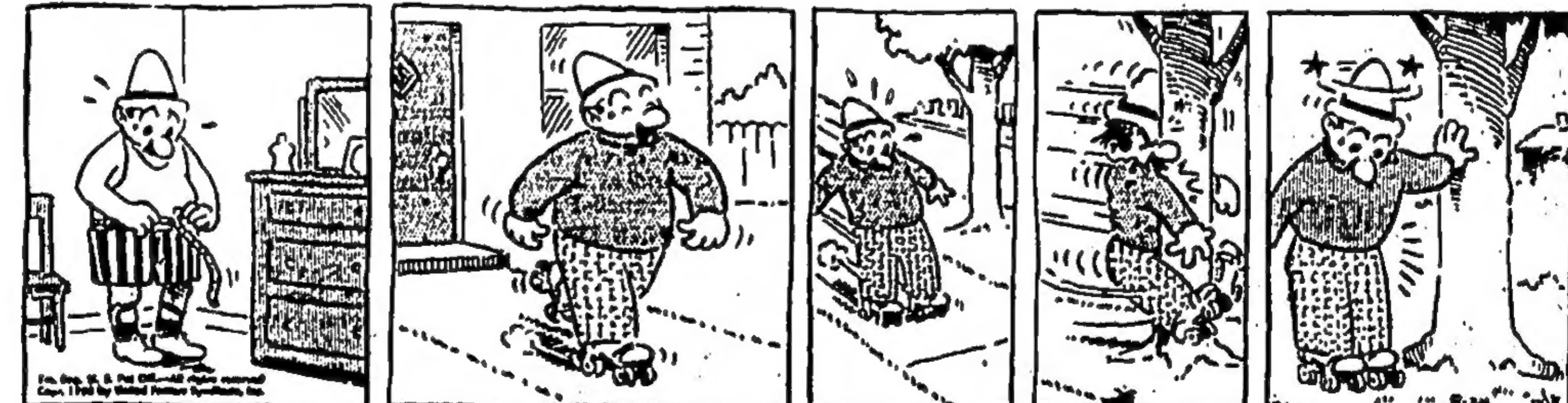
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By Lee Falk and Phil Davis



FERD'NAND

By Milk



NANCY

By Ernie Bushmiller



JOHNNY HAZARD

By Frank Robbins




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ABOUT
MAGIC!**
Have you seen
Admiral
AIR CONDITIONERS
AND REFRIGERATORS



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If we were
any fresher
we'd still be
on the vine!
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JOHN CLARK'S CASEBOOK

Alan The Enemy

TO Alan, all London, all England, is enemy-occupied territory. No secret agent dropped behind the lines, no prisoner on the run, ever went about his ways in greater peril from those about him than Alan imagines he does in the workaday world he inhabits.

What grim experiences of infancy or childhood fashioned these lines, no one but Alan can know, and he, if he does know, is not telling. He is content to call the world his enemy: the world whose shock-trumps are the police.

TRYING TO PHONE

IN the early hours of the afternoon, Alan was caught trying to pick the lock of the money container in a telephone box, that held, he knew it, only 17s. 3d.

"I was only trying to phone my girl," he said, tossing back his head defiantly, when they caught him, and he said very little else, either then or when, later in the morning he was brought to (Chelmsford) court and charged with attempted theft.

The case was made out, and Alan was remanded for more to be fought out about him than had been possible in the few hours that he had been in custody.

UNHELPFUL

WHEN next he appeared, he seemed to have lost none of his distrust of the world, nor its scorn for it, and he looked, as he stood in the dock, as if he longed to be able to thank of some gesture that would better convey than all else could, his burning dislike of all men.

It was the kind of look that is not uncommon in the nursery, but which luckier children soon cast aside.

A probation officer went into the witness-box. "I'm afraid Alan is a rather unhelpful lad," he said to the magistrate, Mr. Frank Milton.

ON HIS WITS

"HE'S a native of Liverpool, and has a mother and step-father there, but he seems to have hardly any contact with them. He appears to have been living on his wits in London for the last few months. He told me there was no difficulty in knowing how to cope with such things as the phone-box money-box."

The magistrate turned to Alan and asked him what he wanted to say. His tone was encouraging and warm, inviting confidence, but Alan said nothing, and did not even bother to shake his head.

"It won't do you any good, you know, this attitude," said Mr. Milton.

SWAGGER

"SOCIETY'S a big thing, and if you fight it, it's rather like fighting a bus. You lose. Every time, you lose."

Alan's lip curled into a pitting smile. "You will be sent to a detention centre for three months," said the magistrate.

Alan turned on his heel, hardly waiting to hear the end of the magistrate's words. All the scorn for the world he could muster was in the set of his shoulders and the exaggerated swagger of his stride.

The detention centres were tough—well, so was he, said his manner; yet perhaps he was just the sort a detention centre could save from his main enemy—himself.

Tanker Badly Damaged

Port Said, Egypt, Oct. 22. Serious damage was suffered by the Egyptian tanker Nasser which had an engine failure on Saturday in the Suez Canal, an authoritative source said today. The source said that the ship, which was carrying 10,000 tons of Soviet oil to the Egyptian Government refinery at Suez, was on the Canal's rocky bottom and a large hole in its No. 1 hold. The oil flowed into the Canal, the source said. —France-Press.

Stevenson Agrees Bulganin Letter Was Interfering

Chicago, Oct. 22. Mr. Adlai Stevenson, the Democratic presidential candidate, said today he agreed with President Eisenhower that the message from the Soviet Premier, Marshal Nikolai Bulganin, proposing a ban on H-bomb tests was "interference" in American political affairs.

Mr. Stevenson added, however, that Marshal Bulganin's proposals would be explored by the United States "immediately and all the way."

The Democratic candidate has made the banning of H-bomb tests the major issue of his election campaign.

Marshal Bulganin's note to Mr. Eisenhower over the weekend evoked angry response from the President who claimed that the Soviet leader was meddling in America's domestic affairs.

At the same time, Mr. Stevenson said in a statement that it was not the first time Soviet leaders had meddled in the 1956 election.

He said they had made it plain that they favored President Eisenhower. Mr. Stevenson stated: "I share fully President Eisenhower's resentment at the manner and timing of Premier Bulganin's interference in the political affairs of the United States."

But "the real issue is not Mr. Bulganin's manner or Russian news about American politics," but what could be done to save the world from hydrogen disaster.

"Viewed from the standpoint of politics, but of peace, I think the President's reply (to Bulganin) is unfortunate," he declared. "There are two possibilities. One is that the Bulganin offer that Russia will stop testing hydrogen bombs is made for propaganda purposes only and with a complete lack of good faith. If that is true, it should be exposed for all the world to see."

"The other possibility is that the Russian offer, ill-timed as it is, reflects an opportunity to move ahead now toward a stop to the further explosion of hydrogen bombs."

ONLY ONE COURSE

In either event, there seems to be only one course to follow. That is to pursue this opening immediately and all the way," Mr. Stevenson said.

"I think we should do whatever is necessary either to close this vital matter here and now, or to expose Mr. Bulganin's insincerity to the world."

Mr. Stevenson's press secretary, Mr. Clayton Fritchey, gave reporters a newspaper and magazine cuttings to support Mr. Stevenson's statement that Marshal Bulganin expressed the hope at the Geneva conference last year that Mr. Eisenhower would run for re-election and that "more recently other Russian leaders have said they favored Eisenhower for President." —Reuter.

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All Hungarian universities will be represented at the session which is expected to sum up the students' demands raised in a series of stormy local meetings last week.

A meeting of journalists demanded a new press law which must guarantee the freedom of the press.

Hungary's official press and radio enthusiastically welcomed the changes in Poland. News from Poland is given top priority in newspapers and the radio.

The New Men

The new men moving more and more into the limelight of Hungary's political life are rehabilitated former Premier, Imre Nagy, former Hungarian Minister to Belgrade Zoltan Szabo, chief editor Zoltan Kertész and Felbureau member, János Kádár. Experts believe that the present Hungarian party and government team — first secretary Gero and Premier Hódolcsu — both outspoken Stalinists — may not be tolerable for the new Hungarian course. — United Press and Reuter.

QUADS BORN

London, Oct. 22. A 31-year-old Scottish mother, Mrs. Audrey Macduff, gave birth to quadruplets at a Glasgow hospital last night.

The babies—three boys and a girl as well as the mother, who has a 10-year-old son, were reported to be doing well this morning. —France-Press.

SIDE GLANCES By Galbraith



Ernest is a bug collector, mom! I told him what you said about the ants going to chase us out of the house!

YUGOSLAV PAPER HAILS POLISH DEVELOPMENTS

Belgrade, Oct. 23. The Yugoslav Communist Party newspaper Borba said today that "the Socialist forces in Poland have succeeded in overcoming a difficult crisis which held this great European country in its grip for a number of years."

The newspaper, quoted by the Yugoslav news agency Tanjug, said the decisions of the eighth plenary session of the Polish Workers Party's Central Committee and the election of new leaders had created new possibilities for a further advance on the path of Socialism.

The newspaper added: "What happened in Poland will have a positive effect on Polish-Soviet relations and also on relations of Poland with other socialist countries."

"This is of great significance for the Socialist forces throughout the world. The unanimity, powerfully manifested on the occasion of the election of the new Politburo and the First Secretary of the Central Committee, is clear proof that the Polish workers' movement has succeeded in achieving unity on a healthy and constructive basis," the newspaper said, according to Tanjug.

Borba added: "And this very unity is the best guarantee that the office of Socialism in Poland stands on firm foundations."

"The socialist forces in Poland have succeeded in overcoming a difficult crisis which held this great European country in its grip for a number of years."

"It was perfectly clear from the outset that the fate of socialism in Poland would depend on whether or not a democratization of life in Poland were permitted."

"The decisions of the committee show that the answer to this has been given in a positive and constructive way, as comrade Gomulka pointed out in his speech."

"In the course of this and the previous year, Poland has already advanced considerably on the path of democratization of internal life."

"Now, after the unanimous adoption of a number of decisions of historical significance, these efforts will yield ever more marked results," Borba said.

School Speech Day

On the occasion of the annual speech day of CMS Heep Yunn School, Kowloon, on Friday, October 20, at 7.30 p.m., the Hon. E. B. Davies, CMG, had consented to address the school and present the certificates and prizes, after which a short programme will be presented by the students.

WORKERS BURIED

Karachi, Oct. 22. Three workmen were killed and 27 taken to hospital when a shed under construction in Karachi port collapsed today.

A large number of workmen, about 30 workmen were with thoughts to be under the debris. —France-Press.

Jordan Elections: Tampering With Ballot Boxes Charges

Amman, Oct. 22. Jordan tonight had a new parliament — expected to meet on Thursday — in which the majority of members are anti-West and want closer alliances with Egypt and Syria.

Voters in yesterday's general election — acclaimed as the "freest and most democratic" in the history of this kingdom created by Britain — cast their ballots mainly for candidates who campaigned for an end to the Anglo-Jordanian treaty of alliance and a swing to the Arab bloc led by Egypt's President Nasser.

More than half of the 40 members of the new House of Representatives are either members of parties which are considered anti-West or are closely allied to them.

Bleary-eyed officials struggled to complete the complicated count at parliament building here amid a series of charges and counter-charges by candidates and supporters that some ballot boxes had been tampered with.

Most serious allegation was made during the early stages of the counting here last night by the independent pro-West candidate Atif Majali, who claimed that a number of papers in one box were unsigned by the electoral officer and were invalid.

He called either for a fresh election or that the box be not counted and discarded. It is learned here tonight that he is appealing to the Supreme Court for a ruling.

Two Constitutional Party candidates, two members of the Muslim Brotherhood and one National Socialist gained the five Amman seats, when the results were declared tonight.

Mr. Sulaiman Nabulsi, National Socialist leader and former Ambassador to London, was not returned, but his party, with 11 seats, is the largest single group in the new parliament.

Other seats were divided as follows:

Independents—12; Constitutional Party—4; Muslim Brotherhood—4; National Socialist—3; Baath Party—2; Liberation Party—2; Arab Palestine Bloc (pro-Mufti)—2.—Reuter.

WATER STORAGE

In the 24-hour period ending at 8 o'clock this morning, the Colony's reservoirs lost 23 million gallons of water.

Total storage this morning was 4,480 million gallons. Consumption yesterday amounted to 30 million gallons and the yield from streams and catchment waters was 13 million gallons. No rainfall was registered by the Water Authority.

Novel Challenge Trophy For HK Wolf Cubs

A challenge trophy, unique in Hongkong, is to be competed for by Wolf Cub Packs at their forthcoming sports meeting.

The trophy takes the form of a totem pole, presented by Mr. F. C. Clemo, Chairman of the Boy Scouts Association. Under the plaque is a fixture to which ribbons are attached. The ribbons have small brass medals and upon these are to be engraved the names of the packs who win the totem.

The totem was jointly designed by Mr. J. A. Hudson, Organising Commissioner for Boy Scouts, and a member of the Boy Scouts Association, and was made locally.



Two wolf cubs inspecting the totem.

From Our Files 100 Years Ago

The events of the past week, have quite broken in upon our usual Bulletin of Building, nomenclature, Taxes, Praya Commissions, and the oft-recurring marvelous abilities displayed by Sir John Bowring and his officials. At Canton the British Flag has been hauled down, instead as though it were a Rebel standard, and the British Consul threatened and insulted, while attempting to obtain the necessary reparation due. Although we shall probably have the pleasure of contemplating the energies and ability of Sir John upon another field of official action, yet we have no fears or misgivings, as happily for us the "right man" is now we think "in the right place."

Sir Michael Seymour is a sailor of the good old Collingwood and Nelson school, "short sharp and decisive" who will not submit to any vacillations or protracted delays. He demands redress for a direct insult to the Flag of England, and a clear, efficient line for it to be given, and should Governor, Yeh not think fit to comply, Sir Michael's response will be somewhat after the fashion of General Taylor's in Mexico, "a little more grape Captain Bragg." The Ball is already in motion. Sir Michael has commenced with a "Minuet," and it will doubtless be followed by a vigorous Gallopade; and to say that we regret the opportunity now offered for the placing on a better basis a treaty which has almost become obsolete, and in many respects discarded, would be to utter a false and unpopular sentiment.

HOUSEHOLD WORD

The Anglo-French alliance has now become a consolidated household word, and we shall hail with delight an Anglo-American alliance, which will lead to the opening up of a vast internal trade; to the facilities which our commerce demands; to the abolishment of restrictions; in short to a step and thorough progress and progress through all the Celestial Empire.

Much of this naturally suggests itself from the events of the past few days and to Admiral Sir Michael Seymour we now look for the commencement and accomplishment of objects about which so much has been said and written and so little done. Evelyn Johnston's universal enterprise is a sufficient guarantee that he will aid in such an attempt, and moreover he has a few words himself to offer, and they may be rather hard ones upon the recent catastrophe wherein Mr. Cunningham lost his life in Foochow.

LATEST NEWS

The Forbes brings us news of the progress of Admiral Seymour which is highly gratifying. Thursday the Blenheim Reach and Barrier Forts were taken, on Friday the Macao Reach Forts, today we expect the French and Dutch Forts will be captured, and on Monday his Excellency's purpose is taking all the Mandarin Junks. Sir Michael it is believed has notified the Chinese government that nothing less than a personal interview with Governor General Yeh will suspend the hostilities.

We have a placard posted on the walls of Canton, addressed to the Chinese community stating that the English, having been two years at war with Russians, and worsted in the contest, are very much pressed for money, and that the English "men-of-war," not having been paid for long period, have come to Canton to squeeze their arrears out of the Chinese. The Governor has called upon the inhabitants to assist him in extorting all the foreign residents from Canton, the Parsis only excepted.

1919 Fire Victims Registered

Registration by teams of the Social Welfare Office of persons made homeless by yesterday's fires in the Shamshuipo district ended at 3.45 this morning. A total of 1019 persons, representing 407 families, have been registered, and they are receiving meals at the Shamshuipo Welfare Centre.

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